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AMERICAN LEGION SHOW

"All Aboard" to be Given for Third Time in Town Hall Tonight With Dancing After Show Until Late Hour.

Already successfully presented before two enthusiastic houses last night and Wednesday, "All Aboard", the delightful musical farce presented under the auspices of the American Legion, will make its final appearance in the Town Hall tonight. Following the show, there will be dancing until a late hour, with music by Buckley's orchestra.

With an exceptionally well-chosen cast of principals and a well-drilled chorus group, plus a set of false teeth which were not made in Andover, obviously, "All Aboard" provides an excellent evening's amusement. From the time when Jolande Thomas (Frederick Hulme) steps on board the good ship S. S. Florida, where the scene is laid, until the final curtain song by the ensemble, the production moves along smoothly with a variety of dancing, singing and clever jokes.

Billy Brady, played by George Haddon, plays the hero roll in his usual carefree and happy manner, makes ardent love to Beatrice Sloane and displays admirable nervousness at the loss of his precious four false molars. Miss Mabel Marshall, always throwing her whole self into a character part when it requires it, was well up to her usual standard as the irate and over-scrupulous mother of Beatrice, while Sarah Myatt as Billy's sister Dorothy was perfectly chosen for her role, maintained a professional stage presence under any and all difficulties and pleased her audience with her easy grace and her ever-ready smile.

The list of choruses follows:

CAROL BOYS—Annetta Anderson, Eunice Sellers, Evelyn Miller.

TOWNSMEN—Joseph Monan, Roderick Coleman, Howard French, Aubrey Barnes, Douglas Bacon, Windsor Wade, Helen Reas, Moira Murphy, Isabel Hatch, Jemima Walker, Edith Sweeney, Alice Chase, Olive Mitchell, Esther Boutwell, Adelaide Dodge.

SAILOR MEN—Stephen Marvin, Albert Manning, John Caldwell, Russel Carter, Sam Battles.

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X. B. K. CONFERENCE

Delegates from All Parts of New England Join in Convention at South Church Saturday Afternoon and Evening

A very important conference of the 22 chapters of the X. B. K. fraternity was held last Saturday afternoon and evening in the vestry of the South church. The attendance was most gratifying to the state officers, who planned the meeting for the purpose of considering future expansion and financial condition. As expressed by one of the state officers, "This conference should be the most important meeting held by the society as a whole since its organization." It certainly did not fall short of his expectation.

When one considers that delegates from every chapter but one were present, it gives a fair idea of the enthusiasm shown by the young men who constitute the society. The chapters represented were Stamford, Connecticut, Providence, Rhode Island, five chapters in Methuen, four in Andover, three in Lawrence, two in Dorchester, and one each in North Andover, Melrose, Arlington Heights and Braintree.

The meeting was called to order at 3.30 p. m., with Donald Moore, state president, in the chair. Mr. Moore gave an interesting account of the fraternity's expansion during the past six months. He said that in this period, the state council has been in receipt of communications from churches of nearly all the states in the Union expressing an interest in the organization and asking for more information. He cited several instances of inquiries received from the distant states of California, North Dakota and Texas. A general discussion took place and the meeting expressed itself in agreement with the state council to bide their time in spreading so extensively. New England is still open to many new chapters and special effort will be made to organize these and keep the order centralized for the present.

At the close of the general meeting the

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Mrs. Fred Morrison of Sutherland street is confined to her home by illness.

The camp auxiliary of the S. of V. met last night in G. A. R. hall at 8 o'clock.

The Orpheus male quartet of Lawrence will give a concert in the Baptist church on Friday evening, March 10, at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Edward Brown and daughter Eleanor of Providence, R. I. are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe K. Cole, Elm street.

Joseph A. Chagnon, and Mr. Norton of the soldiers' home in Chelsea were guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Crockett.

A chimney fire at the home of Dr. Birdall on Chestnut street called out the chemical at 6:20 o'clock Wednesday evening. No damage was done.

Rev. F. A. Wilson was the preacher at the Shawheen village community service Sunday evening. The junior choir of the Free church sang several hymns.

Mrs. Robert Dobbie has received word of the death of her mother in Dundee, Scotland. She had planned to visit her daughter this summer.

The prize shoot of the Andover Fish and Game club, scheduled for Washington's Birthday, was postponed till Saturday at 2 o'clock, weather permitting.

Miss Abbie Monan, daughter of Mrs. Whiting on Maple avenue gave several readings before an audience at the Congregational church of North Andover last evening.

Initiation for candidates who are to be taken into the A. P. C. Society of the South church will be held Friday evening, March 3. All members are urged to be present.

Because of conflict in dates with the American Legion play the Father and Son banquet of the South church Men's club which was to be held Friday night has been postponed to Thursday, March 2.

A rehearsal of the degree staff of Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge, planned for Thursday has been postponed until Monday night at 7:30. A rehearsal of the officers and degree staff will be held Thursday evening, March 2.

Rev. Silas W. Anthony of Brighton preached at the South church Sunday in exchange with Rev. E. Victor Bigelow. He delivered a stirring sermon on the opportunity America has to lead and save the world providing it first becomes fit to lead and save others.

A meeting of the Smith & Dove Girls' club was held on Tuesday evening. Nomination of several candidates for office was held and election will take place at the next regular meeting to be held on March 21. There will be a dance by the club for invited guests next Monday evening.

Friday evening at 7 o'clock in the Archaeology building, Mr. Moorehead gave an illustrated talk on the defeat of the Seventh Cavalry by the Sioux under Sitting Bull, 1876. Years ago Mr. Moorehead spent considerable time among the surviving Indians of the fight and secured from them their side of the story.

Patrick McDonald of Pearson street was called into juvenile court yesterday afternoon on a charge of carrying a dangerous weapon. He had stolen a Colt 25 automatic from the Winchester store in Lawrence. The case was continued until Monday.

Krikor Koosidian of Bellevue road and Hagop Hassadonian of North Andover were charged yesterday with assault on Lion Dardagian of West Andover. They were discharged for lack of enough evidence to convict. Dardagian claimed that the two men attacked him Wednesday afternoon on the corner of Summer and Whittier street about four o'clock.

Miss Mary Pitkeathley, who has been at the Lawrence General hospital for the past eight weeks, has returned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Rogers on Maple avenue. Miss Pitkeathley, while crossing Walnut avenue was struck by a sled and received serious injuries.

She has convalesced sufficiently to return from the hospital and has returned to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Rogers. She is very grateful to her many friends for kindnesses shown during her weeks in the hospital.

Births
February 18, 1922, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Verne Porter of South Main street.
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ANDOVER

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Coming Events

Tonight
8.00 p. m. "All Aboard" in town hall. Dancing.

8.15 p. m. Free Church Forum. Col. Nellie M. Duncan.

Miss Helen Bodwell, well known in Andover, who recently underwent a serious operation at the Newark, N. J. hospital is recovering rapidly. Her sister Miss Myra Bodwell of Main street is visiting in Newark for a few days.

The car leaving the hill at 7.30 last night, operated by Arthur Livingston, was struck by some snowballs thrown about half way down the hill and three windows were broken. The flying glass cut a woman occupant of the car about the hands and face.

Frank Ward of South Main street, walking along the Reading road last evening about 6 o'clock was struck by an auto headed toward Andover and severely bruised on the left leg. Mr. Ward called the police and gave a description of the car but could not give the number and they were unable to get the offender.

Milk Shed and Ice House Destroyed
The fire department was called to box 62 about nine last night to a fire in the ice house and milk shed belonging to John Noyes on Lovejoy road. There was no one in the house when the fire started and by the time it was discovered by a neighbor it was well underway and the department had quite a fight to save the fire from spreading to the adjoining barn where there were seventeen cows. The snow on the roof of the barn, preventing a fire from flying sparks aided them materially in their work. It was impossible to assign any cause for the start of the fire. The two sheds were both practically destroyed at an estimated loss of \$1,000.

Abbot Academy Honor Roll
The following local girls received honors for the first semester at Abbot academy: Phyllis Yates—91%; Beatrice Goff—90%; Miriam Sweeney—89%; Gertrude Franklin, Doris Holt and Raymond Wright—88%.

Advertised Letters

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Miss Bessie Goldsmith of Elm street spent last week-end in New Britain, Conn. with friends.

Mrs. Mathew W. Colquhoun is confined to her home on Chestnut street with a slight illness.

Mrs. Walter Tabor of Winchester is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. David Whitman of Pine street for a few days.

Mrs. Andrew E. Burkholm who has been confined to her home for the past two weeks with influenza is now able to get out again.

Miss Katherine Selden who was operated on recently at the Barr Sanatorium is resting comfortably and expects to return to her home on Central street early next week.

Hampton Quartet in Andover

The Hampton Quartet of Hampton Institute in Virginia will appear twice in Andover next Sunday evening, at 6:30 at the Academy chapel and again at eight at Davis Hall, Abbot Academy. The public is cordially invited to be present at either meeting.

The Institute which the boys represent is well-known throughout the country through the work which it does for the Negroes and Indians of the United States, teaching them to use their hands and heads in productive labor and at the same time teaching them the principles of clean Christian living. Every year, four of the members of the Institute take a trip through the North and West, spreading the story of the help which this organization is giving to the colored people of the country.

entertaining with darky croons and hillabies, telling their own history and the histories of others in the school and illustrating their talks sometimes with movies or lantern slides. They will have a vital message for Andover people when they tell their story next Sunday.

Andover Requests by Miss Erving

By the will of Harriet Louise Erving of Andover, who died Feb. 15, the sum of \$1500 is left to the trustees of Phillips Andover academy to go toward the education of her grand-nephews, and upon the completion of their education any remaining sum to go toward the education of a student or students chosen by the principal.

The sum of \$300 is left to the South church, Andover, to be used for the upkeep of the grounds of the cemetery.

The sum of \$200 is left to the Andover Village Improvement society, \$100 is left to the American Secretary association, \$100 is left to the Woman's Board of Missions.

FINANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT

Budget Agreed on Makes Estimated Tax Rate \$28.00. Disapprove Only Two Articles. Total Budget Over \$420,000.

ANNUAL MEN'S NIGHT

November Club Entertains with Address by Raymond Robins on "America's Answer to Bolshevism"

"America's Answer to Bolshevism" was the subject of a very interesting address given by Raymond Robins of Chicago at the Gentlemen's Night of the November club held Monday night in the club house.

There was a very large gathering of the men and the members provided a speaker who gave much food for thought concerning social conditions in this country.

Miss Bertha Bailey, president of the club, introduced Mr. Robins. He dwelt on the conditions prevailing in America and the possibilities of the acceptance of the doctrines of Lenin and Trotsky by the American working classes. He said that there was no fear of such a condition as from his observations, America was the only country in the world where Bolshevism had not made any headway and he believed with a wise treatment of conditions which needed careful thought, Bolshevism could never flourish in America.

Mr. Robins spoke of labor conditions and declared that American labor was not getting the share of its earnings which was its due. In this connection he quoted the opinion of an eminent American given more than 50 years ago on labor which seems extremely radical even today. Mr. Robins made the quotation a second time to impress it on his hearers and then told them it was the utterance of Abraham Lincoln to the surprise and enlightenment of the greater part of the audience. He also declared for almost unlimited freedom of speech as one of the best methods of curbing Bolshevistic tendencies here. It was an extremely interesting presentation of a very timely and important topic.

A social hour followed and refreshments were served by Mrs. K. A. Pinckney, Mrs. Percy J. Look, Mrs. J. Harry Kidder, Mrs. Alden S. Foss, Mrs. Gerard Chapin, and Mrs. Douglas Crawford. The pourers were: Mrs. Andrew Laurie, Mrs. James C. Sawyer and Mrs. Donald Appleton.

Indorse Russian Relief

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Andover Christian Civic League Thursday, it was voted to indorse the Russian Relief work of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America. This is one of the agents for Russian Relief of which Secretary Hoover spoke with approval recently. Rev. C. W. Henry and Rev. Markham Stackpole were appointed a committee to consider ways and means of assisting this work.

After careful consideration of the recommendations of the various committees and departments of the town, the Finance committee have submitted their report, which calls for a recommended tax rate of \$28.00 as against the \$26.50 rate in 1921 and which approves total appropriations including the State and County taxes of \$420,318.00, an increase of slightly less than \$50,000 over last year's recommendations.

The committee refuses to place its approval on articles 6 and 9, the former calling for a bond issue of \$200,000 for the abolishing of the filter beds and the construction of a pipe line through Lawrence to the Merrimack river and the latter calling for an additional \$10,000 above the amount on hand from sale of land and property for the construction of a new almshouse to take the place of the one recently sold to William M. Wood. The committee disapproves the sewer appropriation on the basis that the plan has not been approved by the State Board of Health, and also because they deem it wise that the matter be discussed further before definite action is taken.

Other items of more than ordinary interest in the report advise the abolishing of the Board of Engineers and the appointment of a permanent chief of the Fire department, the purchase of a truck for the police department, the consolidation of the department of Tree Warden and the Moth department with the Board of Public Works through an emergency bill in the legislature, and the request that the selectmen and the school committee be allowed to act as a special committee to consider the site of a new school in Shawabehn, their report to be made to a special town meeting to be held not later than April 15, 1922.

The verbatim report of the committee follows:

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE
The Finance committee has given careful consideration to the budgets of the various town departments for 1922 also to the special articles in the warrant calling for appropriations and gives herewith its recommendations.

It is unfortunate that the department budgets are not presented to the Finance committee at an earlier date in order to give opportunity for more full discussion of the department requirements. It is suggested that all departments prepare their budgets for next year as early as possible and present them to the Finance committee by January 1st in writing, with full details, and with definite recommendations for action by the town.

If full and careful investigations of all projects are made by the departments, and all problems are thoroughly worked out in department meetings before presenting them to the Finance committee much time can be considered ways and means of assisting this work.

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Andover Has Clean-Up Saturday

It was a great day for the school on the hill Saturday when they appeared in four different events in Boston Saturday, made a clean-up in three of them and only lost the basketball game to the Crimson cubs by a one-point margin.

Starting off with their old rivals at the Arena, the blue team white-washed Exeter 3-0, in a game that proved beyond doubt the superiority of the local team, despite the fact that both teams were handicapped by the sick-list.

Two Sutherland-coached teams came together when the Andover fish swam circles around the M. T. Fleber and won handily 37-16, the Boston team taking two firsts, a second and three thirds for their end of the score.

The wrestling bout between the Crimson fresh and the Phillips wrestlers was a little more of a tight squeeze than the first two contests with the result hanging in the balance till the last minute of the last bout when Holt finally pinned Crowley of Harvard to the mat after two extra periods in the 125lb. class, winning the meet 13-11.

Andover learned a well-taught lesson against the Harvard basketball team, for although playing against a team that was in no way equal in individual playing, the superior team work of the Harvard five squeezed out many an individual shot,

where a clever follow up might have scored a much needed two points and told a different story than the 30-29 score which the Harvard team handed out.

Mothers' Club's Successful Sale

The Andover Mothers' club held a very successful food and apron sale Friday afternoon in the lower town hall and despite the intense cold there was a good attendance and quite a sum was realized.

The food table was generously supplied with bread, doughnuts, pies and cake and was in charge of Mrs. Frank M. Foster, Mrs. Edward Cole, Mrs. John A. Collins.

Home-made candy found many buyers and the salesladies were Mrs. R. W. Coleman, Mrs. J. Fred Coles, Mrs. James Walker.

The aprons as usual were disposed of easily and Mrs. Otis Keith, Mrs. Elmer Davis and Mrs. William Waycott were in charge.

A rummage table gave a fine chance to secure many good and useful articles at a low figure. The attendants were Mrs. Thomas W. Platt and Mrs. John Ralph.

The grab bag proved an attraction and every patron declared they had received value for their money. Mrs. B. Frank Hatch supervised the grabbing.

The success of the affair was due to the energetic work of the chairman of the committee, Mrs. Charles S. Buchan and the above mentioned ladies.

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Prize Compositions

The balance of the Lawrence Telegram compositions are published below:

What does Andover most need?
(By Marguerite L. Barrett.)
The citizens of almost every city or town in the state of Massachusetts have erected in the main section in which they live, a monument. This monument is either dedicated in honor of the founder of the city or town or in honor of the heroes of the Revolutionary, Civil, or the World War.

We had a large number of men go from Andover to answer their country's call. Do not the citizens of Andover think these heroes are worthy of some permanent honor? Why not erect a monument in our main section and dedicate it to the heroes of the World War?

What does Andover most need?
(By Winona F. Boutwell)
One of Andover's prominent needs is a gymnasium for the high school. Most high schools now require all pupils to take physical culture as part of their regular course. Andover's high school building is modern except for a gymnasium. Because of this handicap the pupils do not get half the practice they need in the indoor sports and they cannot compete with other schools as well as they might. The Guild is the only place they may go and because of regular classes their time is limited. A gymnasium can serve for many purposes and is surely a real need of Andover.

What does Andover most need?
(By Alice Hurley)
What Andover needs most is a group of capable American citizens who would give time and thought to public affairs, with no reference to personal advancements. The service requires the most intelligent minds of all forms of public policies which our advancing civilization requires.

There are hundreds of good women that constitute an asset the like of which the public has never before enjoyed, who are well-versed to work out progressive public policies. Therefore, what Andover needs most is an "Organization of American Women," to help solve public affairs. (fifth prize.)

What does Andover most need?
(By Joseph Stevenson)
We need several things in Andover but I think that what we need the greatest is new dressing rooms for the High school team. The dressing room as it stands today has no lockers for the players' clothes, no light which is in an ante room and sheds no light in the main room, one shower, cold water, no hot, and is fitted for anything but a dressing room.

I think that either to improve this old one or else build a new one altogether would be one of the best things Andover could have.

What does Andover most need?
(By Annie I. Stevenson)
Andover's greatest need is a larger Town hall. The voting list has increased considerably with the Sundry amendment, and also with the growth of Shawheena. In order to vote on Town affairs, these people must attend Town meetings. How are we to seat these additional voters in a hall already too small? There is no alternative, Andover must have a new Town hall. A new hall could supply another great need in the town and that is, a suitable gymnasium and basketball court. It could also be used to advantage in holding other town gatherings whether social or business. (seventh prize)

Punchard Schedule

The manager, Malcolm Ruhl, of the Punchard high school baseball team has announced the following schedule for the spring games:

April 19, Wednesday—Alumni on Playstead.

April 26, Wednesday—Haverhill at Andover.

April 29, Saturday—Methuen at Methuen.

May 10, Wednesday—Pinkerton at Derry.

May 12, Friday—Johnson at North Andover.

May 15, Monday—Reading at Reading.

May 17, Wednesday—Haverhill at Haverhill.

May 23, Tuesday—Methuen at Andover.

May 26, Friday—Danvers at Danvers.

May 29, Monday—Johnson at Andover.

May 31, Wednesday—Stoneham at Andover.

June 3, Saturday—Exeter at Andover.

June 7, Wednesday—Pinkerton at Andover.

June 9, Friday—Danvers at Andover.

June 12, Monday—Reading at Andover.

R. W. Lindsay Promoted

R. W. Lindsay, son of Mr. and Mrs. David S. Lindsay of Andover, who for many years has been employed by the Pratt and Lambert company of Buffalo, N. Y., has recently been promoted from the office of Manager of Industrial Sales to General Sales Manager.

In announcing his promotion to the sales force of the company, the bulletin says, "Mr. Lindsay has been with the company for thirteen years and is well qualified to fill the important position to which he has been advanced."

A thorough technical education, combined with years of practical varnish experience in the Pratt and Lambert laboratories and supplemented by work in the sales department that has brought him into intimate contact with most of the important customers of Pratt and Lambert, Inc., make Mr. Lindsay's appointment most fitting and extremely valuable to the sales organization.

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File Them Early

Malcolm E. Nichols, collector of internal revenue for the district of Massachusetts, is urging every taxpayer to prevent this year, a recurrence of last year's unfortunate happenings when many people paid penalties for late returns. He makes the following statement:

"From now until March 15, a great income tax drive is being made throughout the country. Practically half a million income tax returns are expected to be filed in the Massachusetts District."

"The willingness of the public to help the Government has always been abundantly demonstrated. In this letter I venture to point out a way in which the co-operation of the public with this office can be made greatly beneficial to the immense amount of work to be done."

"In past years many persons have waited until the very last days of the filing period before submitting their returns, and thousands of those so doing have proceeded to the Boston Office or one of the branch offices located throughout the state to have their income tax returns prepared for them."

"Persons who had intended to come to this office or to a branch office to have their returns prepared, apparently through neglect, forgot to do so and were consequently obliged to file returns subject to penalties for being late."

"All this has occasioned confusion, error, and great delay in the handling not only of income tax returns but of other Internal Revenue business. An attempt to do all the work of numerous taxpayers has not only resulted in undue strain upon this office, but has subjected them to serious disadvantages. Moreover, the obligation of making a return and filing it is placed by law upon the individual."

"The assistance of the Collector's office should be confined to giving council and advice, taking the oath, accepting the return and the receipt therefor. It is the duty of the taxpayer to prepare his return. He should be prepared to do so and to have it ready for filing at the time he comes to the office. The collector's office will be glad to give assistance and advice and will try to be helpful in every way."

"The desirability of impressing upon all the taxpayers the necessity of attending to the preparing of their own returns is most important."

"In the opinion of the Collector this matter should, at as early a date as possible, be brought to the attention of Andover citizens."

"The following suggestions, I wish, could be presented to everybody. Your assistance in bringing these suggestions to the attention of members of your community, will be of great value."

"1. Every taxpayer should without delay, assemble the accurate figures of his income and expenses called for by the income tax blank, which contains full instructions."

"2. Every taxpayer should prepare his own return as far as possible before consulting employees of this office for assistance."

"3. Every taxpayer should file his return as early as possible."

"It would be of mutual benefit if employers could find it possible to assign their attorneys, accountants, or one or more members of their bookkeeping staff to instruct employees in the preparation of their returns. Many employers already do so."

"A complete and accurate set of income tax returns, seasonably filed, is of highest importance. It means efficient administration and convenience throughout the year to all taxpayers. Toward the securing of such a set of returns, this office is bending all its energies."

"I shall be very grateful for your kind assistance."

Free Church News

Mr. Wheelock will exchange Sunday morning with his father, Rev. Albert H. Wheelock of Needham who will preach on, "The Church as the Servant of Christ."

The Sunday evening meeting will be in charge of the members of the Free Church of All Saints. Colonel Duncan will explain the work of the Volunteers and questions will be welcomed at the close of her address. A soloist will accompany Mrs. Duncan. The public is invited.

Elected Football Captain

The captain-elect of the Villanova college football team is a Ballardvale boy, William Patrick Cronin.

He is a native of the "Vale" being born there November 6, 1899, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Cronin of Center street. He attended the public schools of Andover, Bradley grammar school of Ballardvale and Punchard high of Andover.

He played four years of football and baseball at Punchard and captained the eleven in 1917. In football, he played end and half-back and in baseball he played any position, but preferably the infield. He graduated from Punchard high with the class of 1918 and was president of his class.

He entered Villanova college in the fall of 1918 and is taking a bachelor of science course. He has played three years of football and one of baseball, 1919. He is quarterback on the eleven and plays in the infield on the nine. He weighs 150 and stands 5 ft. 8 in. He is a junior and will graduate with the class of 1923. He is a member of the Theta Pi Epsilon fraternity, Villanova college council, K. of C. and Villanova college glee club.

In addition to playing high school and college baseball, he played with the Andover Rubber Company of Hudson and the Andover Council, K. of C. nines.

In his high school days he was always the "heart" of Punchard football and he was their stellar performer. At Villanova he is one of the most popular students in the college and is looked upon by the faculty as a student in fact as well as in name. He was a member of the Villanova "pony" backfield this fall which made such a name for itself. He was a consistently good player.

Quiet Hour Meeting

A union meeting of the Christian Endeavor societies in the interest of "The Quiet Hour," was held Sunday evening in the South church vestry. There were 73 present from the societies of Ballardvale, North Andover and the South, Free, West and Baptist churches.

Herbert P. Carter of the West church, president of the Andover union, was in charge. The speaker was President Wells of the Middlesex union, who gave a very interesting talk on "Miracles."

Chase-Chase Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Chase attended the midwinter meeting of the Chase-Chase Family Association, which was held Saturday at Hotel Westminster, Boston, with Alfred L. Chase, presiding. The Rev. Dr. Henry L. Crane, pastor of the Centre Methodist Episcopal church at Malden, was the guest of honor and gave an address on "Democracy." There also were readings by Alfred Bunker, formerly for 30 years principal of the Quincy School in Boston, and William E. Chase of Newburyport.

The member coming the longest distance was Miss Maude E. Barker of Belfast, Me. This was her first mid-winter meeting. Another long distance guest was Miss Edith Ford of Yarmouth, Me. Several new members were admitted to the association.

Registered New Voters

The following 28 names were added to the voting list at a meeting of the registrars of voters last evening, 14 Jan. 1922, 54 Maple avenue; Alden Simonds Foss, 64 Central street; Dorothy Tenney Foss, 64 Central street; H. Gilbert Francke, 234 Main street; Irving Southworth, Main street; Madeleine B. Francke, 234 Main street; Myrtle Stripling Southworth, Main street; Joseph Jerome Hickley, 44 Elm street; Frank B. Bartlett, 263 North Main street; John William Crawford, 32 Chestnut street; Cornelius James Murnane, 5 Bartlett street; John Carden, 60 Elm street; John Harry Anderson, 94 Poor street; Miles R. Ward, 73 Summer street; Elizabeth Anderson, Maple avenue; Joseph William Fraize, 141 Main street; John Harrington Kennedy, 14 Elm court; Ellen M. Paydon, 35 Lowell street; Charles Edward Buchanan, 81 Central street; Louis Shumway Finger, 19 Haverhill street; Bertha Jones Ladd, 46 Whittier street; Ralph Kimball Cole, 115 Elm street; Annie Gertrude Bredbury, 2 Argyle street; Wright Henry Stafford, 11 Wolcott avenue; Violet Mowat Stafford, 11 Wolcott avenue; Cornelius Cuspen, 31 Chestnut street; John Joseph Madden, 22 Pearson street; Helen Katherine Abbott, Andover street.

Enjoyable Supper and Social

The Ladies Benevolent society of the Free church gave a very enjoyable supper and social Friday evening, following the sewing meeting in the afternoon.

Supper was served in the dining room at 6.30 to 60 guests and there was an abundance of the following excellent menu: baked beans, relishes, rolls, cake, pies, fruit salad, gelatine, and whipped cream, coffee and tea.

The committee in charge was Mrs. Arthur S. Jackson, Mrs. Lewis Paine and Mrs. David May.

The social in the ladies' parlor at 8 o'clock was one of the most pleasant held for a long time. The games gave great enjoyment and a concert program of selections from the great artists of the world was given on the victrola. The social was by the A. P. C. society in charge of Mrs. Dana W. Clark instructor of the chapel.

Mothers Gave Dance

The Mothers of the Junior and Senior classes of Punchard school gave a dance to the members of the classes in Punchard hall Friday and it was a very pretty and successful event.

The hall was very attractively decorated with Valentine colors, with hearts predominating and excellent music for the dancing was provided by Dwyer's orchestra of this town. Ice cream and cake were served at intermission.

The matrons were Mrs. James A. Diegen, Mrs. Joseph Fallon, Mrs. Frank A. Buttrick and Mrs. M. E. Dalton. Nathan C. Hamblin principal, and Miss Smith of the faculty were present as invited guests. Among the mothers present were Mrs. George Cashman, Mrs. Fred MacCollum, Mrs. James Walker, Mrs. F. A. Buttrick, Mrs. Joseph Fallon, Mrs. David May, Mrs. George A. Carter, Mrs. John Buchanan, Mrs. John Hurley, Mrs. Wright H. Stafford, Mrs. James A. Barnes, Mrs. Ada Wanamaker, Mrs. Harry Walls, Mrs. Fred Otis.

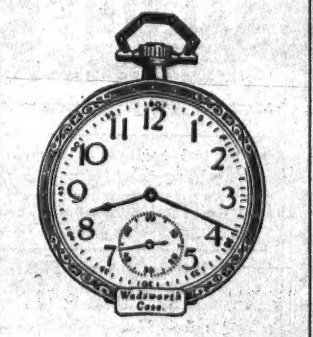
Pastor's Lenten Class

According to the custom in progressive Congregational churches the period of Lent will be used for special training of the South church young people in the customs and beliefs of the Christian church in general and of the denomination.

Rev. E. V. Bigelow desires the aid of parents and of church school teachers in bringing together a large group of boys and girls over 14 years of age to meet with him in church vestry Sunday afternoons at 5 o'clock during the month of March to April 16, Easter.

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Missionary Rally Program

Plans for the morning session of the Woman's Missionary Rally, to be held on March 16 at the South Church, include greetings from representatives of the Andover churches and talks by several social workers on the helps given to young women and girls in neighboring cities.

Miss Anne P. Hincks will speak of the work of the Bethesda Society of Boston, with which she is connected, and Miss Emily Skilton of Lowell, an Abbot Academy graduate, will tell from her own experience of the duties of a policeman. It is hoped that Mrs. Esther Parker Lovell of Boston, will speak of the influence of Camp Andover on city girls.

The afternoon speakers will be Miss Ward of China, and Mrs. Hannah Hume Lee, associate secretary of the Woman's Board of Missions, and formerly a missionary in India. She can give first hand information about two subjects especially interesting to Andover women because included in their missionary budget, namely: the hospital work under the care of her sister, Dr. Ruth Hume, and the loving patient service of the native Biblewoman. Mrs. Lee is full of enthusiasm for the fine work of the various denominations, and selected as her topic, "Christian Co-operation in India."

Efforts are being made to enlist the active interest of Andover women in this Lenten get-together meeting which it is hoped may prove of far-reaching helpfulness in the community.

"Coming together is a beginning. Keeping together is progress. Working together is success."

Canoeing and Exploring in Maine and Canada

This evening at 7 o'clock in the archaeological building, Mr. Moorehead will give an illustrated talk in the lecture hall, on the above subject. He will present pictures of the North Woods, running canoes through rapids, camp sites, etc. There will also be a description of how Indian cemeteries are found. Some pictures showing Ralph Dorr, canoe expert, running the fifteen mile falls of the Connecticut will be shown. The public is invited.

Violin Lessons

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REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

JANUARY 11, 1922.

To the Trustees of the Memorial Hall Library:

GENTLEMEN:

I herewith submit the report of the library for the twelve months ending December 31, 1921.

During 1920, which was a most successful year in the history of the library, and which in itself showed a big increase in use, the circulation of books was 44,398. During the twelve months just ended, the people of Andover have borrowed for home use the large number of 51,113 volumes, an increase over 1920 of 6715 books. Considering that the town population is but 8268, this use is extraordinary and forms a remarkable record. It shows what a vital part of the community life the Memorial Hall Library has become.

During the busiest months of the year, it has been necessary to have extra assistance, in order to leave the librarian free to answer questions and to attend to people who come for help in looking up topics. The satisfaction of the public with this arrangement is evident. They no longer feel obliged to preface a request with an apology for interrupting an obviously busy person. It is also a satisfaction to the librarian to be at liberty to leave the loan-desk, to be able to give full attention to reference work, and not to be obliged to cram into each moment more than could possibly be done. It is to this wise arrangement of the Trustees in affording the librarian more assistance that much of the increased use of the library can be attributed.

Though the present circulation of books is large, there may still be people who do not realize how free from red tape is the library administration nor how liberal its rules. Any child of ten may have a card—if we had a children's room with space for both children and books, a card would be given to any child capable of writing his name. For children under fourteen, we ask for the signature of both parent and teacher. Having complied with this slight formality, the child is at liberty to take one book at a time and to exchange it at will. It is quite a custom in Andover for a child to celebrate his tenth birthday by obtaining a library card, and on several occasions, the necessary blank has been placed among the birthday gifts. All children over fourteen may borrow two books at a time, provided that only one is a story. Grown people may take as many books as they wish, but only one may be a seven-day book. With the exception of these one-week books, any book may be renewed, even indefinitely, if it has not been asked for by others.

There has been little improvement in the cost of books. They are yet extremely expensive, and the library is trying the experiment of buying fiction and juveniles in reinforced bindings, thus increasing the durability of the books and prolonging the time of use before being rebound. Fortunately, it has proved easier this past year to obtain the books needed by different study clubs, and we have not experienced the trying delays and disappointments which were our fate during 1920. This has been a source of satisfaction to both the librarian and the club members. Every effort is made to obtain books wanted, which are not on our shelves, and we are indebted to the Boston Public Library and to the Haverhill Public Library for loans.

Among the gifts of 1921 are two which should receive especial mention; one from the estate of Mrs. Abbie M. Smart, who left to the library about fifty books, among them handsomely bound sets of Scott and Dickens. By the will of Charlotte Helen Abbott, the library received all her books. Among them was a valuable genealogical dictionary, and several genealogies, which are a distinct asset to our collection. It is pleasant to know that in her will, Miss Abbott defined this bequest as an appreciation of the unfailing courtesy and kindness shown her during many years by the Trustees and the library staff.

The library has also received a gift of \$100 through the will of Ellen Cabot of Brookline. There are minor gifts of books and money from summer visitors who take this way of expressing thanks for the library privileges granted to them. It is not uncommon for these visitors to express regret at leaving a town where they have found an unusual generosity extended by the local library. We also appreciate the thoughtful kindness of one gentleman who has twice taken the trouble to purchase in town on the day of its issue and bring to us, a book of especial interest and importance. Another constant user presents at intervals a sum of money to be spent in the purchase of interesting novels, and yet another always remembers the book fund with a five-dollar bill at Christmas.

The Smith and Dove Company are presenting to the reading-room a subscription to the "Textile World", which will be as much appreciated by the workers in that line as the "India Rubber World," provided by the Tye Rubber Company. Through the kindness of the Massachusetts Library Commission, the library has shared yet further in the distribution of books no longer needed in army camps, and we obtained a number of valuable works on automobiles, chemistry, business manuals of several types, and a set on foreign trade, all of which have interested the young men of the town.

The use of the library by the schools has been extensive. Both the town and parochial schools appeal to it constantly for help and for books to be used in classrooms. We have loaned books to both Phillips and Abbot Academies. The usual set of lectures on the use of reference books was given to the sophomore class in the Punched High School with uncommonly satisfactory results. It is always a revelation to these young people to find what a storehouse of knowledge the library is, and also a surprise to know the pleasure of using books intelligently.

The November ice-storm robbed us of our magnificent horse-chestnut which had been the pride and beauty of Andover Square for many years. It is a loss which can never be replaced. With the many laments over its going came one comment which affords food for thought. One person remarked that now the tree was gone, the library stood fully revealed, and she, for one, realized for the first time in what ridiculously small quarters so important a part of Andover's educational system was trying to serve the community. Small as it may seem outside, it is even smaller inside. Crowded shelves and narrow aisles cramp its use. The children, who ought to have a room of their own, with the space and freedom and attention which are their due, are confined to one corner of the reading-room, where they often sit on the floor for lack of seats.

The record of the year just past, with adequate help in busy hours, is an indication of what might be done under still better

conditions. If the central library could have more space for books, could have a room for the children, the work would expand amazingly. The branch at Ballardvale has been a success since its beginning; there is an ample field for a branch in Shaw-shen Village, and there is an earnest desire on the part of the residents in that section that one should be started by the town.

The Memorial Hall Library is an essential part of the town life. It is doing good work with the schools and with the children under hampering conditions. Fortunately, there is a gleam of hope in that the young people who have used and appreciated the library during the past fifteen years, are growing into their heritage in the town affairs, and are showing a gratifying opinion that it is high time Andover's library had a better chance.

Respectfully submitted,

EDNA A. BROWN,
Librarian.

Superintendent Reports on Local School Conditions

Henry C. Sanborn in his annual report to the school committee touches on several very important phases of school conditions and school accommodation is perhaps the most timely at least as far as Shawshen Village is concerned.

Superintendent Sanborn says: "Only at Shawshen Village has there been any serious housing problem. In the last annual report, it was suggested that it would soon be necessary to make some provision for the increased enrollment at the Richardson school. The building, which conveniently accommodates only sixty pupils, now has more than one hundred within its walls. Under such crowded conditions the children, in spite of all that may be done, are suffering from poor light and inadequate ventilation. One room now used is very small and was never intended for school-room use. All of the rooms in the building are dark and have rather poor ventilation. As soon as possible new school accommodations with plenty of light, fresh air and more space for out-of-door play should be provided. Undoubtedly, the solution of the problem is to secure a plot of land sufficiently large to accommodate such buildings and furnish such grounds as future development of the village may require, and then build units of a large building as they are needed."

At the High school there has been a steady growth which, if continued, will necessitate the furnishing of an additional room. The town was fortunate in having provided for considerable possible growth in the Punched High school, so no serious problem exists in this connection."

The use of school buildings by town organizations for educational purposes is the subject of a section of his report and follows:

"It is the wise policy of the school committee to extend the use of the school buildings as far as possible. Consequently, the Punched High school has been used a great deal during the last few months. The Natural History Society meets regularly in the lecture-room. At present three classes in dressmaking meet twice a week, and two classes in millinery meet each week. One class in interior decorating is meeting every Wednesday afternoon and a class in business

arithmetic has just completed its course. The alumni and school organizations are using the building and the hall a great deal. Some part of the high school building is open almost every evening. As I have stated in previous annual reports, school buildings represent a large investment, but they are used only a comparatively few hours out of each twenty-four and are not used at all during the long summer months for the purposes for which they were built. They are the property of the people and the people should use them whenever it may be possible without interfering with the school work. It has not been customary to make any charges for the buildings other than for janitor service, heat and light."

The grounds at the Central schools have been in a poor condition for years and more or less an eyesore. While other school grounds have been beautified the central school grounds, particularly those surrounding the Stowe school have been neglected. Mr. Sanborn and the school committee are aware of conditions and hope to make a start this year. He says:

"The grounds at the Central schools need considerable work. That part in front of the Stowe school should be graded, covered with loam and seeded. The grounds on Bartlett street should be graded and seeded back as far as the evergreen trees. It might not be wise to do all this work in one year. Most of the grading when once done is permanent and seeding lasts for a long time, so any part of the work that is done this coming summer would be just so much toward putting all the school grounds in town in a pleasing and satisfactory condition."

Regarding health and health promotion, Mr. Sanborn reports as follows:

"During the fall term in spite of the best efforts of the school health department, an epidemic of measles spread among the children. The disease had already considerable headway when the schools opened in the fall. Even then its spread might have been controlled if there had been any way of keeping the children, who were excluded from school away from other children on the streets and places of public assembly. The disease did, however, gain considerable headway and caused very irregular attendance in some of the schools."

"The school children have interested themselves in the annual Red Cross Seal sale. They have had exceptionally good results. Approximately 25,000 seals were sold and about two hundred fifty dollars were turned over to the organization having charge of the sale in Andover. The following children made exceptionally good records: Julie Cross, Walter Lamont, Carolyn Reed and Donald Bassett for Stowe, Madeline Rice for John Dove, and Carl Swenson for Indian Ridge."

Mr. Sanborn acknowledges gifts to Punched and says:

"Many thanks are due the alumni for their activities in furnishing the Punched hall with the beautiful curtain for the stage, a splendid clock, and a brand new piano. These gifts, with the new seats which the town has purchased, furnish the school with a hall exceptionally pleasing to the eye and well adapted to the present needs. Behind these gifts, which in themselves mean so much, is the spirit which prompted them, a spirit of love and appreciation for what the school has been and an earnest desire to be of service to the school in its new growth and development. Such expressions of goodwill mean a great deal and add much to the inner life of the school."

Brilliant Programme for Symphony Concert

A programme of splendid beauty and impressive brilliance should make memorable the concert to be given in Lawrence by the Boston Symphony Orchestra, which will take place in the Colonial theatre on Sunday afternoon, March 5, at 3 o'clock.

Pierre Monteux, the brilliant French conductor of the Orchestra, has agreed to remain two more years at this post of honor following the present season, which will extend the term of conducting to five years. The invitation was extended by the Board of Trustees of the Orchestra (of which Judge Frederick P. Cabot is president) last week. In the opinion of countless admirers of Mr. Monteux among the patrons of the concerts everywhere, his acceptance was a manifold fortune.

Mr. Monteux will open the Lawrence programme with Tchaikovsky's Fourth Symphony in F minor which, in the opinion of many lovers of music, is the masterpiece of this most popular of Russian composers, and even superior to his Sixth Symphony, the "Pathetic."

Richard Burgin, who is to appear as soloist at this concert and who now fulfilling his second season as concertmaster of the Orchestra, is one of the finest virtuosos to have occupied that seat of honor, will play with the Orchestra on this occasion Lalo's Spanish Symphony. The remaining purely orchestral portion of the programme will consist of the lyrically beautiful incidental music which Schubert wrote to "Rosamunde", and Wagner's Overture to "Tannhauser."

Ten Week Training Course for Sunday School Workers

Commencing Friday evening, March 10th at 8.00 o'clock the South church and Free church will co-operate in the conduct of a Teachers' Training class. W. Vernon Lytle, New England Secretary of the Congregational Education Society has been secured as Instructor and will take for his general subject "How to teach Religion." The class will continue for ten weeks and will be held alternately in the two churches. A large attendance is desired both of present and prospective teachers. Parents are also invited to attend.

Deaths

February 15, 1922, Edward S. Polgreen, 59 Washington street, 3 years old.

February 20, 1922, Mrs. Parthena (Boutwell) Holt, Bartlett street, 86 years old.

Obituary

MRS. FRANCIS HOLT

Mrs. Parthena (Boutwell) Holt, the widow of Francis Holt, died Monday at her home 67 Bartlett street, aged 86 years and five months.

Mrs. Holt was born in West Andover, was the daughter of George and Fannie (Hyde) Boutwell and had lived there until about thirty years ago.

She is survived by one son, Jonathan E. Holt, one daughter, Mrs. Byron F. Gustin of North Amherst and one sister, Miss Mary K. Boutwell.

The funeral was held Wednesday at 2 o'clock from her late home and services were conducted by Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, both at the home and at the West Parish Cemetery. The bearers were all nephews, A. S. Boutwell, A. T. Boutwell and Edward Boutwell of Andover and Granville Wiswall of West Roxbury.

Camp Fire Girls Meet

The Unalut Camp Fire girls met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Clara Richards on Phillips street. The following program was carried out: Roll call; report of the secretary, Margaret Moore; appointment of keeper of the count; repeating the law of the camp fire, seek beauty, give service, pursue knowledge, be trustworthy, hold on to health, glorify work; be happy; guardian's talk, report of honors won by members, music.

Doris Gates, Margaret Moore, Annie Kayley and Abbie Mosan have won ten honors and will become Wood Gatherers at the next meeting.

Those present were, Guardian, Miss Edith Fuller; Clara Richards, Doris Gates, Margaret Moore, Abbie Mosan, Carolyn Dodge and Annie Kayley.

Robekahs to Hold Whist Party

The Indian Ridge Robekah Lodge met Monday evening in the lodge rooms with Mrs. Samuel Wormwald in charge of the meeting. After the discussion of routine business it was voted to hold a public whist party in the lodge rooms, Monday, March 6, at 8.30 o'clock. Refreshments will be served and a good time is planned for all.

At the close of the business meeting the members of the lodge held a reception for the newly elected officers with the following committee in charge of the proceedings: Mrs. George Holt, chairman, Mrs. Floyd W. Eastman, Mrs. Frank Valentine and Mrs. Charles Buchan.

Braves and Chevrolets Win

The Braves took four from the Ballardvale All Stars in a postponed game rolled on the Essex street grounds Thursday night. Jackie Eldred had the high single of 124 and McGrath hit three strings for 333.

Friday night the Chevrolets again took the All Stars into camp and won two strings and the total. Baker of the All Stars was high with 114 and 285.

The scores:

	1	2	3	Tot.
Bowler	85	88	115	288
G. Nicoll	96	86	85	267
McCarthy	75	124	95	294
Eldred	108	122	103	333
McGrath	93	86	83	262
Ross				

Totals 457 506 481 1444

B. V. ALL STARS

	1	2	3	Tot.
Bowler	87	89	86	262
Nelson	92	87	93	272
W. Dane	92	96	81	269
Baker	88	82	84	254
Wrigley	78	99	86	263

Totals 437 453 430 1320

CHEVROLETS

	1	2	3	Tot.
Bowler	81	83	90	254
G. Kelson	79	81	83	243
Colbath	84	87	100	271
Castle	79	79	106	264
O'Sullivan	85	100	92	277

Totals 408 440 471 1319

B. V. ALL STARS

	1	2	3	Tot.
Bowler	92	90	83	265
W. Dane	75	80	82	237
Anderson	87	78	86	251
Wrigley	87	94	81	262
Dobbie	114	91	80	285

Totals 455 433 412 1300

Braves Back in Race

The Braves are on the war path again and last week took 8 scalps, bringing them back into the race. The Doherty's lost 3 to the Rockports but still have a lead of 5 points. The Toobies are tied for second place with the Rocks.

The league standing:

Team	Won	Lost	Pinfal
Doherty's	44	20	22343
MacIntoshes	39	25	22049
Rockports	39	25	21580
Braves	36	28	22224
Chevrolets	22	42	20927
B. V. All Stars	12	52	20797

Team Single—Braves 513.

Team Total—Braves 1467.

McGrath is challenging Jimmy Ross for the leadership in the individual averages and his triple of last week of 333 boosted him nearly to 97. It will take 300 strings to enable him to pass Ross, if the latter maintains his present gait.

The official figures:

	Strikes	Totals	Ave.
Ross	48	4739	98 35-48
McGrath	33	3195	96 27-33
P. Cairnie	45	4295	95 20-45
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Sken	42	3995	95 5-42
Doherty	42	3977	94 29-42
Fairweather	33	3115	94 13-33
Warden	48	4443	93 27-48
Porter	36	3358	93 10-36
W. McCarthy	30	2782	92 22-30
W. Eldred	24	2230	92 2-24
W. Hyde	42	3864	92
J. Eldred	45	4138	91 43-45
Zecchini	39	3584	91 25-39
McIntosh	48	4411	91 43-48
McIntosh	48	4382	91 14-48
H. Cairnie	21	1896	90 6-21
G. Davies	18	1634	90 14-18
J. Hutton	30	2705	90 5-30
F. Nicoll	36	3226	89 24-36
G. Kelson	18	1615	89 13-18
J. McCarthy	42	3741	89 3-42
Kinnear	33	2926	88 22-33
Nelligan	45	3982	88 22-45
H. Kelson	39	3442	88 10-39
Looney	42	3695	87 41-42
W. Dane	42	3676	87 22-42
Castle	30	2622	87 12-30
Stewart	39	3409	87 16-39
Platt	42	3655	87 1-42
Colbath	42	3653	86 41-42
Downs	45	3902	86 32-45
Wrigley	39	3370	86 16-39
Mason			

High Single—J. Eldred 136.

High Triple—J. Ross 341.

Washington's Birthday

Tribute to the two great leaders of the nation whose birthdays are celebrated this month, was paid at the Punched High school Tuesday with exercises appropriate to the occasion.

A short sketch, "Dispatches for Washington," was cleverly acted out, the characters being as follows:

Samantha Ross
Sarah Fisher
Beth Fisher
Hester Fisher
Hepzibah Cabot
Jonathan Fisher
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Recitations on Lincoln and Washington were given. Miss Gertrude Clark spoke on "Abraham Lincoln, the Master." Nathalie Rowell gave the reading about Washington, "Tis Splendid to Live So Grandly" and Thomas Stack's recitation was entitled Lincoln and Washington.

Decorations of red, white and blue made the hall effective, and the program was much enjoyed.

Marriages

February 21, 1922, Joseph W. LaPlante of Lawrence and Miss J. Shaw of Andover by Rev. James J. Courtney.

February 21, 1922, Oscar B. Anderson of Lawrence and Jennie C. Smith of Andover by Rev. Charles W. Henry.

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8.30. Thursday. Women's Prayer meeting.

6.30. Thursday. Father and Son's banquet.

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Samuel Dale Stevens

The sudden death of Samuel Dale Stevens at his home in North Andover Tuesday morning came as a distinct shock to the entire community of all Andover. While he had been ill for some time and had been inclined to be careful of his health, particularly during the winter months, few, even of his intimates, believed that he could be considered in a dangerous condition.

The writer will be among a very large number of men who have reached middle life, whose contact with Mr. Stevens in the last forty years has produced a relationship that will make his death come as a distinctly personal loss. As a boy but recently out of school, first in the mill and then in the office of the Marland Mills, the editor remembers the early days of Mr. Stevens in the manufacturing world. He recalls the first day spent in that mill by Mr. Stevens, ushered into the presence of that rare old manufacturer, William H. Jowett then superintendent, by the head of the great firm of M. T. Stevens & Sons Company, then in his prime as a distinguished citizen and as perhaps the leading woolen manufacturer in the United States if not in the world. It was not long before the junior had taken on much responsibility, particularly in connection with the relations between the mill and the selling house, then a distinct institution from the mill organization itself. Nor was it long before the old liners in manufacturing began to enjoy their contact with the youngest member of the family responsible for the big business.

Samuel Dale Stevens grew steadily as a manufacturer, and no less steadily in the esteem and regard of those with whom he was associated in all activities. His duties as a citizen were discharged in the same diligent and faithful manner that he applied to his own private business, and few were the activities of his own home town, and even in our own town of Andover, that did not benefit from his good advice and his unflinching interest.

A man possessed of great wealth, his manners were most democratic; his friends were many because he was friendly; his neighbors were fond of him because he was neighborly. Although his span of life seems short, it has been filled with such achievements at home and abroad as to make of it a big, full meed of service to his fellow men.

Walker's Impertinence

It is perfectly proper for former Speaker Walker to take a public position in connection with any public question. Frequently the position he takes is approved by the public, and perhaps even more frequently it is disapproved. When he has stood upon his own feet and been confident in his own judgment, we are inclined to believe he has aroused more respect than when he attempts to put the responsibility for any position he takes upon other people. When he goes far enough to quote dead men in support of any political position he wants to take, we don't think anybody has much use for his judgment or his opinion, and certainly when that case ties itself to as distinguished a citizen as the late Senator Crane, our opinion is more pronounced.

It seems to the writer nothing short of impertinence for a man who so frequently failed to run in harmony with the late Senator Crane as Speaker Walker did, to attempt at this time to bolster his opposition to Senator Lodge by reference to the type of leadership which Senator Crane was responsible for in his days of leadership. The late Senator Crane was as unlike Speaker Walker as it would be possible for a man to be, especially in his attitude toward public questions and public men. The last thing Senator Crane ever thought of doing was to tear down a man's reputation or position. Equally distasteful to him was the sort of program recently issued by Mr. Walker in his attack upon Senator Lodge.

We doubt if there is a man in Massachusetts who knew well Senator Crane, who would express an opinion at the present time in harmony with the attack of Mr. Walker upon the present senior senator. Nobody knew better than Mr. Crane the peculiarities of Senator Lodge. Nobody knew better his weaknesses and his inability to do many things that ought to be done as service for the people of Massachusetts, but if this is true, nobody knew better than he the big measure of service that Senator Lodge has rendered and is still rendering to the great nation at large. This is the test that will lead the public in passing upon his re-election. Senator Lodge has never been a very satisfactory errand boy, either in person or through the proxy of his secretaries, but he has been a great big service for the country at large, furnished to the country by the great Commonwealth of Massachusetts; and we are inclined to think that on that ground he will be continued in office, irrespective of the opposition to his election voiced by Mr. Walker, resting upon the unstable basis of how he thinks Senator Crane would have operated under present conditions.

Town Issues Defined

It seems to be pretty clearly settled that town offices in Andover are to be filled at the coming election with but few disturbing contests. For Selectman the lists now show four aspirants for the single position, with the present incumbent the logical choice for re-election. An expression in this column some weeks ago called for a substitution of able men for this position. There is no evidence whatsoever that able candidates have been presented in the lists that would seek to take the place filled by Mr. McTernan. We have no hesitancy in expressing the belief that under the circumstances the best service to come to the town will be realized through his re-election to the position of selectman.

It would look as if the school committee were to be materially strengthened if the opportunity presented in the candidacies of Mr. Douglass Crawford and Mr. W. Dudley Yates were availed of. Mr. Crawford is not only trained in educational matters, but has already impressed himself upon the community as a man of good judgment and fine old-fashioned common sense. Mr. Yates has made a place for himself in the business life of Andover as one of the responsible men at the Tye Rubber Company. He is the type of young man who may well be pressed into the public service, to the great advantage of any community served.

For the other offices, irrespective of individuals, and without any analysis of the qualities that different ones may possess, it is difficult for the writer to see any reason why the town would gain by a change. Taken as a whole, the problems of the town, pressing as they will this year in greater magnitude than ever, would seem to call for the attention of men who know as much as possible about them, rather than for experiments with new people untrained, to be educated at the expense of public service.

The report of the Finance Committee, presented today will be read with interest by the citizens. It is published in full in the Townsman and presents a great big program that will come before the citizens for attention at the coming town meeting.

Editorial Cider

There are always many interesting side lights thrown upon the doings of the public by way of the average newspaper office. For example, how otherwise would the writer have known of that wonderful sense of county duty possessed by the county commissioners of the State that leads them to spend their money liberally in free publicity furnished in any way you may desire, to tell the people at large what wonder-

fully beneficent institutions county governments are. We have no quarrel with the county commissioners in this respect but cannot help querying just exactly how they feel they can afford on their present salaries to add this expense to all the others which they so freely give, almost without money and without price. They certainly do feel the importance of their jobs, and it is wonderful to think that it is all for the benefit of the suffering citizens of the county.

Town Officers

With the closing of the time for the filing of nomination papers for town officers which came last night at five o'clock, it was found that only Selectman, where there is a five-sided fight on for one office; Board of Public Works, four candidates for two offices; School Committee, four candidates for three offices; and Tree Warden, three candidates for one office.

Selectman Andrew McTernan is up for reelection to office and is opposed by Cora E. Abbott of Ballard Vale, Martin Doherty, Timothy J. O'Sullivan, Jr., and Thomas E. Rhodes.

In the Public Works race the four candidates are Barnett Rogers, Arthur T. Boutwell, Edward P. Hall and Edward Shattuck, the first for reelection. In the School Committee, ballots may be cast for Roy H. Bradford, Douglas Crawford, Horace D. Wood and W. Dudley Yates. The three candidates for Tree Warden are Edward H. Berry, William M. Ross and Robert Stack with the first up for reelection.

The list in full follows:
Moderator, Alfred L. Ripley.
Town Clerk and Treasurer, George A. Higgins.
Collector of Taxes, William B. Cheever.
Selectmen: Cora E. Abbott, Martin Doherty, Andrew McTernan, Timothy J. O'Sullivan, Jr., and Thomas E. Rhodes.
School Committee: Roy H. Bradford, Douglas G. Crawford, Horace D. Wood, W. Dudley Yates.

Trustees of Punched Free School, Myron E. Guttererson, Harry H. Noyes, Frederick S. Boutwell, Edmond E. Hammond, John H. Campion.

Board of Public Works: Arthur T. Boutwell, Edward P. Hall, Barnett Rogers, Edward Shattuck.

Board of Health: Charles E. Abbott.

Auditors: Walter H. Coleman, John S. Robertson, Harry Sellars.

Constables: George W. Mears, Frank M. Smith, George N. Sparks.

Trustee of Memorial Hall Library: Charles U. Bell.

Tree Warden: Edward H. Berry, William M. Ross, Robert A. Stack.

Barnard Prize Subjects

The subjects for the annual Barnard Prize Essays have been announced and are being discussed by the scholars. The prizes of \$20, \$10 and \$5 will be given out to the three essays which in the opinion of the judges attain the highest literary merit. This counts two thirds in the final contest, the other third being for delivery of the same.

The prize speaking will take place on Friday evening, April 21 in Punched hall and is open to the public. The subjects of the essays are as follows:

"The Force of Community Opinion," "The Fine Art of Being a Lady or Gentleman," "Applied Chemistry in the Home," "The Fascination in the Stars," "The Latest Wireless Invention," "Experiences of an Amateur Photographer," "Trout Fishing in —," "Whimsical Oliver Goldsmith," "The Sense of Nonsense," "Nicknames from Dickens," "Sir Walter Scott, Nature Lover," "Pageantry As An Instrument of Education," "Rise of Japan As a World Power," "Famous Pioneers," "What Is a Good American?" "Ideals of the Nation," "The Spirit of Roosevelt," "Old New England Industries," "Opportunity for All," "Motion Picture Production," "Roman Augustus," "The Roman Senate and the U. S. Senate Compared," "Roman Schools," "Ellis Island," "The Work of the Associated Press," "The Organization of a Modern Newspaper," "The Influence of the Press," "Horace Greeley," "The Next War," "A Mountain Adventure," "Children's Games Here and Everywhere," "Dickens Characters," "Results of the Washington Conference," "Caucus or Primary."

Lenten Services

The extra services during Lent are planned in Christ church in general for Thursdays, Fridays and Sundays. On Ash-Wednesday, March 1, there will be Holy Communion with address at 10.30, children's service at 4, and evening service with address at 7.45, when the choir will sing. The following weeks, until Holy week, the services on Thursday at 4 and on Friday at 4 for children will be the rule. On Sundays at 7.30 there will be services in the church with special preachers and organ recitals.

The preachers will be Rev. W. J. P. Hatch, D.D. of the Episcopal Theological School, Cambridge, on March 12; Rev. Victor M. Houghton of Exeter on March 26th, and Rev. Frederic Palmer D.D. of Cambridge on April 9, Palm Sunday.

The services on the other Sunday nights in Lent will be followed by an organ recital on each occasion. March 5, by Carl F. Platteher, of Phillips Academy; March 19 by Joseph N. Ashton of Abbot Academy, April 2 by F. Burdette, Dean of the New England chapter, American Guild of Organists.

At all these Sunday evening services the regular vested choir will sing.

South Church Notes

The Father and Sons Banquet which is in preparation by the Men's club for Thursday evening, March 2nd promises to be a notable event. The speaker, Mr. H. W. Gibson secretary of Boys' work in Y.M.C.A.'s of Rhode Island and Massachusetts is very popular with both men and boys.

The Alpha Phi Chi Sorority expects to initiate a number of new members in their growing organization.

The Church School management has arranged in union with the Free Church School to carry on a series of Teacher Training sessions for Friday evenings of March and April. Reverend Vernon Lytle of Boston will be the lecturer.

Margaret Slattery Class

A regular business meeting of the Margaret Slattery class of the Free church was held Monday evening in the parish house and plans were made for a play to be presented the latter part of March.

Mothers' night plans were also talked over but nothing definitely decided on. After the meeting games were played and refreshments of hot chocolate, cake and cookies served.

Celebrated Washington's Birthday

A Washington's Birthday meeting of the Carrie S. Buchanan association was held Wednesday and in spite of the storm, delegates were present from Salem, South Weymouth, Peabody and Chelsea.

A social hour was enjoyed in the forenoon and selections were played on the piano in the Odd Fellows' hall, and at noon dinner was served in the G. A. R. hall. The menu included meat pie, mashed potatoes, green peas, rolls, relishes, pies, cake, ice cream and coffee. Small hatchets were given as favors.

The entertainment in the afternoon was very enjoyable and an attractive program was rendered. Mrs. Archie Mayo contributed vocal solos and an exhibition of toe dancing was given by Miss Mildred Towler, who also gave a reading, and Mrs. Ira Martin of Salem read the poem "Washington's Kiss," which told of the general's stay in Andover. Miss Helen Sutcliffe was accompanist.

The affair was a big success and was in charge of Mrs. Charles S. Buchanan, Mrs. Frank M. Smith, Mrs. Horace Eaton, Mrs. Edward Cole, Mrs. Joseph Nuckley, Mrs. Alexander Crockett, Mrs. William Waycott, Mrs. James Walker, Mrs. Elmer Davis.

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THURSDAY, MAR. 2

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FRIDAY, MAR. 3

Josephine Earle in, "Branded."
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SATURDAY, MAR. 4

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Abbot Academy Notes

On Saturday afternoon at Hall Exercises, Miss Mary Sweeney of Lawrence gave a delightful talk on the International Institute in Madrid. The talk was illustrated by stereoscopic views, many of which were taken by Miss Sweeney herself.

At chapel on Sunday evening, Rev. Boyd Edwards gave a very stirring talk. In his talk on Disarmament in Davis Hall on Monday afternoon, Col. Raymond Robins made very clear the nature of the next war (if we do not prevent there being one), the incredible power of poison gas and wireless controlled aeroplanes as already developed and urged the exertion of all personal influence on Senators to effect a speedy ratification of the disarmament treaties.

Tuesday Club Open Meeting

On last Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Henry A. Bodwell opened her house to the Tuesday Club and their friends and a very pleasant afternoon ensued for those present.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Colquhoun, Mrs. Hamblin welcomed the friends of the club and introduced first, Mrs. Harrington, who told of the things the Home Economics Department of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs is trying to do. Mrs. Oscar Merrow played two delightful piano solos.

The speaker for the afternoon was Mrs. Elsie H. Chamberlain, a representative of the Eastern States League. Her subject was "Color in the home" and many were the suggestions she gave her audience as to putting a touch of color in the rooms of their houses that would harmonize with the general color scheme. Mrs. Chamberlain is a very charming speaker and she cheerfully answered questions from her interested hearers.

Tea was served and the ladies enjoyed a social hour. The committee in charge was Mrs. Harrington, Mrs. Bradley and Mrs. Whittemore.

Dr. Stearns to Speak

Rev. F. A. Wilson of the Free church, Andover was the speaker at the regular community service held Sunday evening in Balmoral Hall. The subject of his talk was "Be Doers of the Word and Not Hearers Only."

A feature of the services was the singing of "The Heavens are Declaring," by the boys' junior choir of the Free church.

Dr. Stearns of Phillips Andover academy will be the speaker next Sunday evening and Percy Carr of South Lawrence will be soloist. Sunday school was held at 9:30 a.m. and over fifty pupils were present.

Card of Thanks

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Wedding

ANDERSON-SMITH

The wedding of Miss Jessie Smith of this town and Oscar Anderson of Lawrence took place on Wednesday afternoon in Christ church. Rev. C. W. Henry, rector of the church performed the ceremony which was witnessed by only the immediate families and friends.

The couple were attended by the groom's brother and his wife of Lawrence. After a short wedding trip, the young couple will live at the bride's mother's home on Barnard street.

Mr. Bedetti's Recital

A mere handful of people greeted Mr. Bedetti at his Violoncello recital in the chapel of Phillips Academy last Friday evening. The concert was easily one of the most superb ever given in the Academy Chapel. Mr. Bedetti's programme was attractive from beginning to end, his tone was magnificent and those who were fortunate enough to have had sufficient courage to brave the cold will long look back to a wonderful evening. The cello has been called the amorous lover of the orchestra. It is not infrequently in the hands of an amateur, but when one hears one of the finest specimens of one of the most magnificent of instruments superbly played, one feels that one has reached one of the summits of the great peaks of music. When will those present forget the singing of the Bach Aria, of the Schumann Adagio and Allegro, and especially also of Bruch's old Hebrew melody, the "Kol Nidrei." To be sure the night was cold. So were those who came from Lawrence. So was Mr. Bedetti. But there was plenty of fervor in the music, and despite his complaint: "I had no assistance," referring to the size, not the warmth of the audience, it was a pleasure even to see his inspiration. Mr. Fiedler was the accompanist. The programme was as follows:

Sonata ancienne	Bruch
(a) Allegro	
(b) Adagio	
(c) Rondo	
Aria	Bach
Adagio and Allegro	Schumann
Menuet	Debussy
Air a Dancer	Liszt
Nocturne	Fauré
Capriccio	Debussy
Kol Nidrei	Bruch
Tarantelle	Popper

The subject of Mr. Pfaffteicher's talk in the course of "The History and Appreciation of Music" in the Chapel of Phillips Academy next Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 will be: The Oratorio.

Miss Abbott Speaks

Miss Cora E. Abbott, college graduate, practicing lawyer and first woman candidate for the office of selectman in the town of Andover, spoke last night before a group of men in the Abbott Village Hall at 7:45. After the meeting at which Miss Abbott was accorded a very warm reception, she spoke for a few minutes, with some of her friends, of her ambitions to serve the town in its highest office. She said that town affairs through a constant reelection to office of most of the town officials, had gotten themselves into a rut and that in her opinion, and in the opinion of the voters of the town who were backing her for the office, what was needed was a little young life and new ideas.

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Interesting is the increasing cost of carrying on the work during the past years and the advancing price per yard from year to year. The figures are as follows:

1915 cost per yard	\$1.07
1916 cost per yard	\$1.36
1917 cost per yard	\$1.62
1918 cost per yard	\$2.24
1919 cost per yard	\$2.20
1920 cost per yard	\$3.10
1921 cost per yard	\$3.28

In seven years the cost per yard increased more than 300 per cent. The high cost of 1921 on the final portion constructed was due in a degree to the great amount of filling. In 1921 from May 11 to August 28, 4549 feet of 18 foot road or 9098 square yards were constructed at a cost of \$29,875.39. Even at this figure the cost was at low and the work more expeditiously done by the highway department under the supervision of Frank L. Cole, superintendent of the board, than by contract price according to figures secured.

Other construction work done during the year was on Summer street, begun on August 19. There were finished on September 22, 5531 yards of road with necessary catch basin and piping. The cost of this work was \$9372.09 or about \$1.69 per yard.

Andover street was started on September 26th and completed the 14th of November. During that time there were built 7472 yards of Tarriva road with necessary pipes for draining at a cost of \$9985.73 or about \$1.34 per yard.

For 1922 the Board of Public Works in its estimates recommends the appropriation of \$20,000 for use of Highway Department, \$30,000 of this for new construction and \$30,000 for maintenance.

The main street Highway from the square to Chapel Ave. is in very bad shape particularly on the west side. The large amount of traffic which this road is called upon to serve, demands that this be built of a more permanent type of construction than has been the case in the past. According to advice received by the Board it seems that if this work be undertaken immediately it can be done at a less cost than if deferred. The road is in very bad condition and the board recommends the expenditure of \$100,000 to complete this work the ensuing year.

This matter was the subject of a conference a few weeks ago at which it was endorsed by the finance committee, the board of public works, the selectmen, and Hon. John N. Cole, chairman of the State Highway commission. This is one of the worst sections of highway in this part of the State. It is hoped to have a single track from the square to Chapel avenue, curbing along each side of the street and paving from gutter to gutter.

It is planned to meet the cost of this reconstruction of Main street by short term notes.

Labor and Capital Freely Discussed

Speaking at the Sunday evening Forum at the Free church last week, Charles Kroll of Needhamham emphatically put to flight the idea that the reduction of wages was the one and only way in which the cost of living might be reduced. He said that the elimination of the great wastage which appeared on all sides because of the mutual misunderstanding of employer and employee was the chief reason for the present high cost of living and that only a return to a program of square dealing on both sides would bring about the change desired in living expenses.

Mr. Kroll presented a very interesting view of his subject "Labor from a Progressive Employers Point of View," because he has at various times in his life been all the way up the ladder from the day laborer to the corporation president. He has seen and still sees both sides of the story in a peculiarly unprejudiced manner which made his talk Sunday one of the most interesting the forum audiences have had the pleasure of listening to.

In the question hour at the end of the lecture Mr. Kroll declared bonuses and such things a mere "sop" to the employee, saying that such schemes resulted only in establishing in the employees' minds a lurking suspicion about their employer. "People don't want charity, they want a chance to help themselves. Where welfare work is started with the idea of true help and justice, it never fails."

The speaker next Sunday evening will be a representative of the Volunteers of America, Col. Nellie M. Duncan, who will tell of some of her experiences in the work of this famous organization.

Christ Church Music

The order of music for Quinquagesima Sunday is as follows:

Processional—O worship the King, all glorious above.	Quintet
Venite	Woodward
To Deum	Monk
Benedictus	
Hymn—Oft in danger, oft in woe	Himmell
Offertory—Incline Thine Ear	
Recessional—Soldiers of the cross, arise	

An airplane, flying low over woods and swamps of Florida, is used by a deputy sheriff of that state to locate illicit stills. When moonshine operators are spotted, the sheriff returns to the city and prepares to raid the stills. In one day he has found three stills, destroyed 1,000 gallons of mash and arrested three men.

"ALL ABOARD"

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SWEETHEARTS.—Margaret May, Ruth May, Virginia Ramdell, Bessie Carter, Helen Otis, Mary Alley, Dorothy Trot, Julia Burns, Dorothy Hill, Shirley McKee, Elizabeth Hession, Frances Garrett, Mabel Walker, Dorothy Wanamaker, Eleanor Flint, Gladys Gillispie, Charlotte Gillispie, Grace Sellers, Evelyn Carter, Abbie Monan, Louise Sullivan, Mary McDonald, Emma Daniels, and Theresa Proctor.

SAILOR GIRLS.—Annie Ness, Helen Hackney, Sadie McLeish, Jennie McLeish, Ivy Hackney, Annie Vannett and Margaret Haddon.

BABYHOES.—Margaret Doherty, Frances Farrell, Nellie Levine, Theresa Basso, Helen Saunders, Edith Johnson, Peggy O'Neill, Dorothy Early, Doris Manning, Annetta Anderson, Florence French, Bella Benson, Edith Abbott, Erna Campbell, Elizabeth Campbell and Frances McDermott.

FISHING GIRLS.—Mollie Jacobs, Mary Cole, Lillian Craik, Florence Hyde, Margaret Chick, Isabel Hatch, Katherine Leary, Agnes Keery, Rita Kyle, Anna Kyle, Katherine Hurley, Eva Zecchini, Nellie Kyle.

OVERALL GIRLS.—Frances Dalton, Marjorie Pomeroy, Alice Chase, Katherine Donovan, Jean Donald, Olive Mitchell, Jeannine Walker, Miriam Sweeney.

SEA NYMPHS.—Mary Tagis, Eleanor Campbell, Nan Gordon, Amy Phillips, Ruth Hall, Beatrice Baker, Grace Hatch, Margaret Sparks, Gertrude French, May Sorrie, Gertrude Taylor, Helen Black, Goldie Francis, Thora Manning, Edith Herbert, Alice Kyle, Ruth Sweeney, Dorothy Gordon and Louise Skeas.

WATER WITCHES.—Florence Sweeney, Agnes Murphy, Doris Anon, May Baxter, Jessie Carnie, Dorothy Banley, Sarah Francis, Elizabeth Hilton, Margaret Garrett, Dorothy Curtis, Alice Duane, Katherine Sweeney, Nellie Farrell, Josephine Hurley, Evelyn Herbert, Helen Platt, Annie McDermott, Devina Elder, Viola Tagis and Evelyn Miller.

ANTIDOTES.—Isabel Hatch, Jeannine Walker, Marion Hill, Edith Sweeney, Alice Chase, Ruth Cates, Adelaide Dodge, Ruth Biddle, Josephine Biddle, Viola Cashman, Esther Bouwell, Olive Mitchell, Agnes Dugan, Viola Holland, Russell Carter, John Caldwell, Sam Battles, Stephen Marvin, Albert Manning, Howard French, Ashley Barnes, Joseph Monan, Douglas Bacon, Roderick Coleman, Windsor Wade, William Hatch and Robert Donaldson.

STAGE DIRECTOR.—MRS. DOUGLAS CRAWFORD.

The cast:

Billy Brady	George Haddon
Dorothy Brady	Miss Sarah Myatt
John Thomas	Frederic C. Hulane
Beatrice Stone	Miss Euanellie Connan
Mrs. Sweeney	Miss Marie Marshall
Captain Kidd	Charles Smaller
Stewards	Mrs. Caroline M. Phillips
Alexander C. Phone	Robert Christie
Barney Kehl	William Davies
Bull Works	Kenneth Wade

The program:

Opening chorus	Ensemble
Sweetheart in Every Port	Billy and chorus
Ecceffis Sailor dance	Barney, Bull and sailor girls
Ragtime Wrangle	Captain, Mrs. Stone, Beatrice, John Thomas and Alexander
The Bashful Sumble Bee	Beatrice and chorus
Fishing song	Dorothy and chorus
Overalls	Alexander and chorus
Ensemble	Ensemble
ACT II:	
Sea Nymphs and Water Witches	Dorothy, Billy and chorus
Antidotes	Dorothy, Billy and chorus
Specialties	Passengers
My Dream Has Come True	John Thomas and chorus

It Could Never Happen in New England

The Eighteenth Amendment has moved the family skeleton out of the closet in Muskegon, Michigan, and taken him down in the cellar. The gas company in that town has been confronted recently by certain customers whose bills suddenly jumped out of all reason. Meters were tested, pipes examined for leaks, appliances cleaned, and everything done by the company to prevent leakage. Yet the bills remained high. Customers increased their complaints.

After exhaustive tests of piping and meters, the company resorted to strategy. The meter-reading day was changed, no notice being given in advance.

In the homes of several complainants were found portable stills. These homes had gas plates in their cellars which were used to furnish heat for the improvised breweries. They burned more fuel than the remainder of the family required for normal legitimate purposes.

It further developed that residents did not trust meter readers and on regular call days hid their stills.

Verily, still waters run up gas bills—in Muskegon.

A Nebraska man has been married by wire to a girl in Paris. The judge who married them went with the groom to the telegraph office, where the court asked the groom the usual questions, receiving affirmative answers. The judge then sent a cablegram to the bride in Paris, in which he asked the questions of the marriage ceremony. Seven hours later the answering cable was received, and the court declared the two man and wife and sent the bride a cable to that effect.

Hawaii's new army insignia will be a green leaf on a red field, the leaf to be separated from its background by yellow piping. This insignia is to be worn as a shoulder patch by officers and men alike, on the left shoulder.

BALLARDVALE

Joseph Stott is ill at his home on High street.

Mrs. Rhoda Howell is spending several days with her niece in Greenwood.

Harold Wells has entered the employ of the Tyer Rubber Co. of Andover.

Francis Bixby is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Louis Schneider of Tewksbury street.

Bennie Nason was called to Howland, Maine to attend the funeral of his brother's wife, Mrs. V. R. Nason.

Miss Helena Riley who has been teaching in Cambridge, has been appointed to the public schools of Boston.

The Junior League will hold a sleighride party this evening; members are requested to meet in front of the postoffice at 6.45 p.m.

Dr. Martha Tracy, Dean of the "Woman's Medical College" of Philadelphia, Penn., visited relatives on High street, last Sunday.

There will be a rehearsal for the Minstrel show in the Community room this evening. It is planned to give this show the second week in April.

The B. V. V. I. S. will run a whist party and dance in the Community room on Tuesday evening of next week. Refreshments will be served by the committee.

All persons who desire to register before the town meeting, must do so between the hours of 12 m. and 6 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 25, in the town hall, Andover.

The Bradlee Mother's will visit the Andover Mothers club on Wednesday afternoon of next week. Members are requested to take the 3 o'clock train. The regular meeting of the club will be held in the schoolhouse on Thursday afternoon, March 2.

Junior Social

Members of the Junior League of the Methodist church held a social in the church vestry on Tuesday evening and spent an enjoyable time under the leadership of Miss Merle Wilkinson. Refreshments of cocoa, cake, cookies and candy were served.

Those present were: Edith Moss, Anita Wells, Lillian Crampton, George Lawrence, Andrew Coffin, Grace Russell, Roy Russell, John Russell, Edwin Russell, Bernard Kibbe, Jean Edmunds, Joe Lord, Kenneth and Raymond Wilkinson, William MacCubarry, George Adams, Joe O'Donnell, Donald Bryant, Chester Glines, Helen and Beatrice Batchelder.

Attended Funeral

Rev. C. E. Winttingham attended the funeral of Rev. Lloyd Edwards, a classmate at Boston University school of Theology, who died very suddenly at the Massachusetts General hospital on Monday evening of plural pneumonia.

Mr. Edwards has preached in the Methodist church and was a frequent guest of Mr. Winttingham. His home was in Sterling, Kansas and he had a student pastorate at Goffstown, N. H.

Community Service

The Union service which was held in the Methodist church last Sunday evening was well attended.

Ignatius McNulty, chairman of the labor bureau of the American Woolen Co. was the speaker and he spoke most interestingly on the Disarmament Conference which was held in Washington, D. C. He said the eyes of all nations are on this great country of ours and were determined to make war a thing of the past. At the close of the lecture, pictures were shown of camp life in Borford, where over 800 children of employees of the American Woolen Co. enjoyed a two weeks' vacation free of charge last summer.

Sawana Club

The first meeting of the Sawana club was held in the Community room on Wednesday, February 22.

Business was transacted and plans made for the coming season.

The members are: Belle Benson, Ina Biset, Jean Edmunds, Helen Batchelder, Doris Wilkinson, Helen Schneider, Grace Parker, Edna McGovern, Marjorie Parker, Gladys McGovern, Grace Russell, Aelia Dushane, Carolyn Grelich, Christine Burns, Eunice O'Donnell, Ruth Davis, Catherine O'Donnell, Margaret Benson, Frances Benson, Doris Shaw, Norma Matthews, Rita Shevlin, Margaret Shevlin and Gertrude Conkey.

Ladies Aid Meeting

The regular meeting of the Ladies Aid society was held at the home of Mrs. B. F. Stafford on Thursday afternoon.

Regular business was carried on. It was voted to hold a silver tea in the vestry on Thursday afternoon, March 9 at 2 o'clock, the proceeds to be used for furnishings for the church kitchen. A full attendance is desired. The next meeting of the society will be held on Thursday evening, March 2 at the home of Mrs. George Miller, Center street.

Hold Party

An enjoyable birthday party was held on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Emma Moody, Clark road. Relatives and friends made merry and wished Mrs. Moody many happy returns of the day. Dainty refreshments were served.

Heard Angelo Patri

At the next meeting of the Bradlee Mothers club, Mrs. Louis G. Buck and Mrs. William Clemons will give a report of their attendance at an address given in Steiner Hall, Boston by Angelo Patri the noted educator.

Mr. Patri is principal of public school number 46, New York city and is writing articles on education at the present time. A fine concert preceded the speaker given by Vedma Balcom, soprano; Avis Fuletha, m. composer; pianist, Earn W. Smith accompanist, and the Duo-art piano.

A new method of blasting coal by water instead of powder will diminish greatly the frequency of mining disasters, it is believed. The apparatus consists of a long nozzle that fits exactly into the hole bored by the miners for the powder charge. A few quarts of water injected into the hole drives out the gas in the coal and another charge of water cracks and breaks the coal, making it soft enough to bring down with a pick. It is said the new method is a success in England and certain parts of America.

Anatole France, the winner of the Nobel prize, has given the entire \$40,000 to Russian relief in the Volga district.

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Mason Sr.	79	80	90	249
O'Sullivan	80	86	75	241
Wrigley	77	84	74	235
Baker	84	89	83	256

Totals 411 416 416 1243

MacINTOSHES

Bowler	1	2	3	Ttl.
MacIntosh	90	88	95	279
H. Cairnie	87	91	91	269
Hyde	95	86	89	270
Porter	82	82	88	252
Eldred	93	77	90	260

Totals 447 424 453 1324

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WEST PARISH

Mrs. John Maddox of the River Road is seriously ill.

George M. Carter of High Plain road is ill with the influenza.

The Women's club of Andover Grange held a sewing meeting with Mrs. Everett Lundgren, Elm street, Thursday.

Farmer's Day and the Corn Show at Hachorne, March 16. Are you going? Plan to exhibit at the corn show.

Mrs. Harry Wright of Lowell street who has been ill for some time with the gripe is now able to be about the house again.

The funeral of Warren Saunders, a brother of Mrs. Gerry Hardy of the River road, who died in Medford at the age of seventy-five will be held at the West Parish Cemetery chapel on Saturday at 2:30 p. m.

The Lafollet club met with Marion Abbott, Shawheen road on Wednesday evening. The entertainment was "An evening with George Washington". Sixty dollars was made at the Baked Bean Supper on Saturday evening.

In the death of Mrs. E. Francis Holt of Bartlett street the older people of the parish mourn a friend of the olden day. Mr. Holt and his wife were active workers in the West church for many years, as well as in the social activities outside the church.

Pemona Grange meets with Merrimac Grange Thursday, March 3. Subject of the day's lecture, "Essex County to Portland, Oregon" illustrated by 115 pictures. Lecturer, J. U. Dunsmuir. Fifth degree will be conferred in full form. Entertainment by Amesbury Grange.

The Seaman's Friend Social was held at the West church vestry on Thursday evening. The entertainment was the play, "Happy Days," Mrs. Herbert Mayo taking the part of Mrs. Tatlock. Miss Elizabeth Smith and Mrs. Newman Matthews were the hostesses for the evening.

Miss Alice J. Bounce, county demonstrator is planning to give to the ladies of Andover a part in the Extension school to be held at an early date. If you are interested write her at the County School, Hathorne telling just what subject you would like to hear and learn about.

Ruth Abbott of Shawheen road entertained the Primary Department of the West church Sunday School on Wednesday from two to five o'clock. Games were played and a general good time was enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served and prizes given in the peanut hunt and several other games.

Andover Grange will meet at Grange hall, Tuesday evening, George A. Meigs of Essex Agricultural school will be the speaker of the evening. Walter F. Rutter has the musical part of the program in charge. Another "Get acquainted Lunch" will be served. Comp and help Andover Grange win the Pomona Cup.

The Discussion Class of the West church will meet at 11:45 Sunday morning; the subject will be, "The School Situation for the coming year." Dr. E. C. Conroy of the School Board will open the discussion. If you are interested come, if you are not interested as yet, come and let the various phases of the subject as they are presented during that discussion awaken in you the interest that every citizen of Andover should have in this vital question.

Obituary

MARIA P. LOVEJOY

Mrs. Maria P. Lovejoy, widow of William W. Lovejoy died at her home on Lowell street, Monday evening. She survived her husband by only a few weeks, being seriously ill at the time of his death. She was born in New York 85 years ago but had lived in Andover many years. She is survived by four sisters and one brother. The funeral was held at her late home Wednesday at three o'clock. Rev. Newman Matthews officiating. Burial was in the West Parish Cemetery.

ABBOTT VILLAGE

Miss Belle Valentine of Brechin Terrace is ill at her home with gripe.

Mrs. Alexander Anderson of Brechin Terrace who has been ill with pleurisy for two weeks is slowly recovering.

While cleaning snow off the roof of the garage where he is employed Claude Nicoll of Cuba street fell and broke all the small bones of his right foot.

Oscar Anderson, overseer of the dry twisting room of Smith and Dove Co., was presented Tuesday evening with a chest of silver from the workers of the Dry Twisting Room, the occasion being his marriage to Miss Jessie Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of Barnard street.

FEW MINUTES' DELAY FATAL

Interesting to Recall Incident That in All Probability Changed the History of England.

One of the most famous instances in history of the fatality of delay has been immortalized by Thackeray in "The Four Georges." This was in 1775, when Edinburgh castle might have fallen to King James had not a party of his adherents stopped at a tavern to drink his health—and were as a result, two hours too late at the rendezvous, under the castle walls.

In Lord Mahon's history the narrative of the landlady of one inn is quoted where eighteen Jacobites lingered drinking the king's health, or, as the landlady facetiously said, "powdering their hair." The feeling of the country was such that had Edinburgh castle fallen—and it was likely enough—the whole country might have risen to drive out the unpopular Hanoverians. Thackeray sketches the scenes that might have resulted—the tumultuous welcome, with the architect Marlborough weeping and all the bishops kneeling in the mud, and in a few years' time, mass being said in St. Paul's. All this might have been, Thackeray points out, but for that little puff of powder which the Scottish conspirators stopped for on the way to capture the castle.

Tennis in Olden Times.

Tennis, the forerunner of the lawn game of today, is a very old game. It was introduced into England about the fourteenth century. A line was chalked on a wall and a stroke below this was regarded a fault. Palm tennis originated in France. The ball was driven by the palm of the hand; at first the hand was bare, but later still some form of racquet was used. In the time of Edward IV, Henry VII and Henry VIII a crude form of tennis was played in England, and it is on record that Queen Elizabeth was pleased at a game played by ten of the Earl of Hertford's servants. Another story tells how a noble earl, becoming heated by the exertions of the game, wiped his face with the queen's handkerchief, and was rewarded with a crack on the head with her majesty's racquet.

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UNION CONGREGATIONAL

Rev. A. H. Fuller, Pastor

10:30. Worship with sermon by the pastor Sunday School to follow.
6:15. Christian Endeavor.
7:30. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL

Rev. C. E. Witheringham, Pastor

10:30. Worship with sermon by the pastor Sunday School to follow.
7:00. Union Service.
7:30. Wednesday. Prayer Meeting.

Hugh Steed has accepted a position in Medford.

William Miller, Sr., of Dale street has gone to the hospital for treatment.

Miss Mary Gagan of Andover street is spending several days in New York.

Miss Nellie Matthews of Lowell, spent the holiday at her home on Andover street.

Philip Stafford of Lynn spent Sunday at the home of his parents on Tewksbury street.

Miss Mabel Herrick was a week-end guest of her sister Mrs. C. E. Litchfield, Needham, Mass.

Miss Isabel Miller has been removed to Miss O'Donnell's sanatorium on Center street.

Joseph Stevenson of this town has been elected president of his class at Pynchard High School.

A son was born on Sunday, Feb. 19, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Dimmick at the Lawrence General Hospital.

Mr. Howard Nickerson of Melrose spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brown, Tewksbury street.

Mrs. Jeremiah Cronin and daughter Margaret are visiting Mrs. Stanley Dunn of New Haven, Conn.

Albert C. Morrison of South Lawrence, was a recent guest of his sister, Nellie L. Morrison, Andover street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wood and family of Manchester, N. H. spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Bell, Dale street.

Mrs. George R. Miller has returned from New York, where she has been visiting her friend Miss Litter, who has been ill.

Mrs. A. English of Littleton, N. H. is spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Greenwood, Center street.

The midweek meeting of the Congregational church was held at the home of Mrs. Nellie Smith, High street on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Noonan and daughters Anna and Theresa of Lawrence spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre, Tewksbury street.

The Union Service which will be held in the Congregational church on Sunday evening, will consist of a musical program. Everybody is welcome.

Mrs. Laura Juhlmann acted as organist at the Congregational church on Sunday forenoon, owing to the illness of Joseph Stott, the regular organist.

Misses Edith Abbott, Clara Holland, and Isabel Benson of this town are taking part in the play "All Aboard" given by the Andover Amateurs League.

Mrs. Martha A. Shaw of Melrose and Mrs. Martha Shaw of this town were called to Shelburne Falls to attend the funeral of their cousin, Arthur Rowland.

At the last meeting of Good Templar lodge, Mrs. Lizzie Barnes was presented with an elegant Conklin pencil as a mark of appreciation for her years of faithful service as secretary of the lodge.

Parlor Polo Score

The score of the Parlor Polo teams up to date is as follows:

Team	Standing	W.	L.	P.C.
Boston	12	9	371	
Providence	12	9	371	
Lowell	10	9	326	
Lawrence	10	11	476	
Worcester	10	12	455	
Fall River	8	12	400	

Costume Party

There will be a costume party and dance in the Community room tomorrow evening. The public is invited to attend.

Minstrel Show

The following committee met at the home of Mrs. A. B. Loomer on Friday evening to make plans for a minstrel show, in the interest of the B. V. V. I. S.

Mrs. A. B. Loomer, Mrs. David Burns, Mrs. George R. Miller, Miss Mary Gagan, Mrs. Irving Shaw, Mrs. John Craig, Mrs. Ralph Parker, Gavin McGhie, Joseph Platt, and John Cronin.

Will Give Address

Miss Gertrude N. Smith, secretary to Dr. John Nichols, superintendent of the State Infirmary, Tewksbury, will give an address on Sunday evening, March 5, in the Congregational church, on the work of the State Infirmary.

X. B. K. Chapter Formed

A chapter of the X. B. K. was formed in the Congregational church on Saturday evening which will be known as the "Abraham Lincoln chapter." Frank Petty will be the instructor.

The officers were appointed as follows: President, Melvin Haynes; vice president, Carl Wells; secretary, Clyde Mears; treasurer, Gardner Shaw.

On Sunday afternoon, James Schofield, Alfred Harris, James Morton and Russell Carter, members of the Andover X. B. K. came here and explained the meaning and aim of the organization in connection with the church.

Many ruined cities of prehistoric civilizations which once flourished in Central America and Mexico are to be preserved as reservations and national parks. This action will preserve for all time some 50 cities, temples, pyramids and other monuments of the Maya races.

X. B. K. CONFERENCE

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delegates were divided into two groups to discuss different phases of the work. Each group entered into earnest discussion and disposed of the business before them in a most satisfactory manner.

At 6 o'clock the meeting adjourned and the members gathered in the vestry where they enjoyed supper. The young men then spent a social hour renewing acquaintances.

At 7:30, a general meeting, open to all members of the X. B. K. who cared to attend, was held. The reports of the committee secretaries of the afternoon session were heard and various questions were discussed in detail. Some spirited debates arose out of the discussions and it was pleasing to see the way in which the members expressed their opinions. As a result, some helpful resolutions were made effecting the future policy of the organization.

One of the features of the meeting was a talk by Alfred Gaunt of Methuen in which he expressed his hearty approval of the way the meeting had been conducted and of its accomplishments. He gave a message of good cheer to the brothers and was very optimistic in speaking of the fraternity's outlook for the coming year. At the close of Mr. Gaunt's address, he was given a ringing vote of thanks in appreciation of all he has done for X. B. K. It was very fitting that this display of gratitude should be accorded Mr. Gaunt, for he organized the order in 1912 and ever since that time has been a tireless worker for the cause of X. B. K.

An invitation was extended by the Andover chapters for the annual convention to be held in September. A suggestion was made that be held in Methuen but it was thought that Andover was an ideal location for this immense reunion. It is also urged that Andover is deserving of this honor, being the second town to have chapters instituted and now one of the best organized groups in existence. The selection of the proper location, however, is left to the state council, to be decided later.

The convention was a huge success from every point of view. It created a good understanding among the chapters as to the existing conditions in regard to the present and future policy of the fraternity and resulted in the solving of many vital problems. It is hoped that before the September convention many new chapters will be installed.

Will It Be Sports and Evening Wear Exclusively?

A woman who speaks with authority on dress, predicts a day when only two kinds of dress will exist—sports wear and evening wear. Whether she is right or wrong, sports wear is gaining ground every day. Even city streets are overflowing with tweeds.

Manufacturers are prepared and retailers will do well to anticipate what is considered on all sides to be the biggest "sports" season since the days of striped blazers and croquet.

Just counting the items off on the fingers, there are coats, suits, dresses, caps, skirts, blouses, sweaters, scarfs, and only two fingers left for enumerating hats, footwear and everything else in sports accessories. It is a big field and there is wide scope in the selection of styles and in methods of effective display.

Along Fifth Avenue today the shop windows where sports garments are featured are the windows where the crowds are gathered. The response to an attractive showing of sports wear is immediate.

The three-piece costume is the most interesting development of the sports idea, and in its most novel and delightful expression it takes the form of dress and cape. Then there is a suit and cape, and again a combination of the latter topped off with a hat to match.

It is impossible to dissociate the sports hat even from the discussion of sports attire, it is so much a part of the successful whole. Every woman will be seeking the appropriate hat. The wise merchant will see to it that the millinery department is stocked, if not to match at least to accord, with what the sports department has to offer.

Tweed, homespun, jersey, crepe knit, kaisha and all manner of knitted silk and wool, are the prized materials that contribute in making today's sports wear the attractive feature it is. Dunder tweed in Foch blue fashions a most practical outfit. It consists of a suit with one-button box coat, a long circular cape with wide collar, and a crushable hat having a good sized roll brim. Cape and hat may be worn together, suit and hat, or the entire outfit at once.

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WARRANT



TOWN OF ANDOVER

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

ESSEX, ss: To either of the Constables of the Town of Andover,

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet and assemble at the Town House in voting Precinct One and the Old School House Ballard Vale in voting Precinct Two, in said Andover, on Monday, the sixth day of March, 1923 at 6 o'clock a. m. to act on the following articles:

Article 1.—To elect a Moderator for one year, Town Clerk for one year, Treasurer for one year, Collector of Taxes for one year, one member of the Board of Selectmen for three years, one member of the Board of Assessors for three years, three members of the School Committee for three years, five Trustees of Pynchard Free School for three years, two members of the Board of Public Works for three years, one member of the Board of Health for three years, three Auditors of accounts for one year, three Constables for one year, one Trustee of Memorial Hall Library for seven years, one Tree Warden for one year, and all town officers required by law to be elected by ballot. Also to take action on the following question. Shall licenses be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this town?

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FINANCE COMMITTEE

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be saved and more information can be given the town which will assist the voters in arriving at a decision on expenditure of the town money.

During the year we have been able to be of assistance in having a survey made of the fire protection service by the New England Insurance Exchange, which has given valuable data and suggestions to the Water and Fire departments.

At the time of the heavy ice storm the hearty co-operation of the various departments was secured to effectively and promptly clear the streets and to take care of the necessary financing for the emergency.

A new plan of town accounting has been prepared which is based on the State forms but on account of some changes necessary to make it effective it is planned to present this for approval next year.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Alms house \$6000.00
(This sum is required for the running expenses of the Town Farm.)
Alms house Relief out 5000.00
(Because of the business depression the demands on this department are greater than ever before and it is estimated that at least five thousand dollars — one thousand dollars more than last year — will be

required for the coming year.)
Aiding Mothers with Dependent Children 2500.00
Board of Health 3300.00
Brush Fires 600.00
Election and Registration 1000.00
(This item was formerly carried under the appropriation for miscellaneous expenditures and town officers.)
Essex County Tuberculosis Hospital 2700.00
(Andover must pay approximately fourteen hundred dollars toward the running expenses of this institution for the period from June to December 1921. The Finance committee recommend that thirteen hundred dollars additional be appropriated to meet Andover's proportion of this expense during 1922.)

Fire Department 23,000.00 and receipts.
(It was recommended last year that consideration be given to the organization of the Department to see if some saving in cost could not be made without impairing the fire fighting efficiency. The selectmen have considered the matter and now propose a permanent chief, the giving up of the board of engineers, and the dropping of several callmen. The net result will be an increase in the rate of annual ex-

penditure of a few hundred dollars but a gain in efficiency which is believed fully justifies the proposed changes. No reduction in the cost of the department appears possible for the coming year. In order to get for the town a larger return for the money spent, over half of which goes to pay the salaries of the permanent men, it is the intention to enlarge and improve the inspection service which the permanent firemen have been performing to some extent. This has proved valuable in other places and under the proposed new organization it should be possible to make it render an important service to the citizens of Andover in helping to remove unnecessary fire risks. Much good work was done during the past year by the permanent men in refitting the pumping engine and doing other similar work in the way of keeping the apparatus and general equipment in the best possible condition. The adoption of the two-platoon system very much increased the cost of the department but if work of this kind can be done by the regular men, either for the upkeep of the Fire department or for other town departments, the citizens will obtain a reasonable return for the money spent.)

Hay Scales 125.00
Highway Department 60000.00
Maintenance \$30000.00
New Construction 30000.00
(This sum is the same as was appropriated last year, viz: \$30,000 for maintenance and \$30,000 for new construction. The new construction contemplated includes Phillips Street, Abbot Street and Essex Street from the railroad crossing to Shawheen Road and Shawheen Road from Essex Street to Stevens Street. The Finance committee is advised by the Board of Public Works that when Phillips and Abbot Streets are built the program of road construction in the center of the town will be approximately completed and a substantially smaller appropriation will be required next year for new work.)

Interest 14000.00
Insurance 5500.00
Fire 3000.00
Workmen's Compensation 2500.00
Library 3000.00
Memorial Day 550.00
G. A. R. 100.00
Miscellaneous 1200.00
Parks and Playsteads 1200.00
Police Department 11000.00

(This appropriation includes the sum of \$600 for the purchase of an automobile truck for the use of the Police Department.)
Printing and Stationery 2000.00
Public Dump 75.00
Retirement of Veterans 300.00
Retirement of Bonds 15500.00
Sewer \$7000.00
High School 6000.00
Haverhill St. Bridge 2500.00
Schools 103420.00

(This is the amount that was appropriated last year.)
Sewer Department 4000.00
Labor and Power 3000.00
Sinking Fund 1000.00
Soldiers' Relief 1500.00
Spring Grove Cemetery 2500.00
and receipts from sale of lots.

(The Finance committee is advised by the Cemetery Trustees that the sum of fifteen hundred dollars and the receipts from the sale of burial lots is required for the upkeep of the Cemetery and one thousand dollars is the sum required for development work.)
State Aid 1000.00
Street Lighting 8200.00
(This recommendation is based on the present street lighting installation, viz: 300—60 Watt lights at \$17.50 \$5250.00
4—100 Watt lights at 28.00 112.00
56—250 Watt lights at 49.50 2772.00
and an additional 175.00
10—60 Watt lights at 17.50 175.00
\$8309.00

(There is still some question as to the amount of light which should be provided in several sections of the town and the Lighting committee proposes to make some further experiments. The recommendation of last year is repeated, viz: that there should be equality of lighting for all sections of the town when the conditions are generally similar.)
Town Officers 10000.00
(This includes the salaries of the Town Officers in the following amounts: Selectmen, \$2500; Town Clerk and Treasurer, \$2400; Collector of Taxes, \$1800; Premium of bonds for collector and treasurer, \$180; Stenographer, \$1040; Auditor, \$300; Moderator, \$10; Building Inspector, \$500; Sealer of Weights and Measures, \$200; Town Counsel, \$400; Field Driver, \$25; and expenses of Town Officers, \$500.)

Town House 3000.00
Tree Warden and Moth Work 12900.00
The town of Andover is required by the State to spend \$4300 for moth work. In addition it is recommended that \$1200 be appropriated for repairs and replacements of the equipment used in moth work; this includes \$350 for a small power sprayer. The cost of trees has been \$2400 since January first of this year and \$5000 more will be required to repair the damage done by the recent storm and carry on the regular work of this department. Last year the Finance committee suggested the advisability of a closer connection between the Tree Warden and Moth work departments and the Board of Public Works. The experience of the past year confirms the Finance committee's opinion that these departments should be consolidated and a bill has been presented to the Legislature calling for the abolition of the office of Tree Warden and the placing of the duties of this department with the Board of Public Works. If this bill is passed by the Legislature it will be brought before the voters for action.)

Water Dept. 6750.00
(Under the plan adopted at the town meeting in March 1921 the Water department is now operated as a separate business under the Board of Public Works. The estimates for 1922 are as follows:
Operation \$20000.00
Construction 2000.00
Retirement of Bonds 8000.00
Interest on Bonds 4000.00
Sinking Fund 750.00
Total receipts 34750.00
expected 28000.00
6750.00

(Difference to be appropriated by Town and which may be considered payment to the Water department for furnishing water for fire fighting.)
The Finance committee respectfully recommends the following action regarding the articles in the warrant:
Article 4. To see if the town will approve the recommendation of the Board of Public Works and vote to reconstruct the highway on Main Street from Chapel Avenue to Andover Square with macadam pavement or other road material in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by the State Department of Public Works. (Division of Highways). Also to see if the town will note that said work of reconstruction be done by contract under the supervision of the Board of Public Works at an expense not to exceed \$100,000. Also to see if the town will vote that notes or bonds of the town be issued to raise funds for the payment of work undertaken under this article, payable annually in the years 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, and 1927, in conformity with Chapter 44 of the General Laws.

(Approved.—The condition of Main Street is such that immediate action is advisable. Much traffic is now directed to School and Bartlett Streets because of the condition of Main Street, and as a result both these streets, built for light vehicle traffic, are wearing fast. The type of traffic passing over Main Street demands construction of the substantial type called for in the above article. Arrangements for the relocating of the street railway tracks, the placing of conduits for underground wiring and the renewal and installation of all necessary sewerage and water pipes are matters which must be cared for in connection with this street construction.)

Article 5. To see if the town will authorize and direct the Board of Public Works to petition the legislature for authority to issue bonds or notes, outside the statutory limit to the amount of \$40,000, to be designated on the face thereof "Andover Water Loan, Act of 1922," said loan to be for the purpose of making necessary changes in and extending the present system of water works in the town of Andover under such terms and conditions as the General Court may provide, on petition of the Board of Public Works.

(Approved.—This amount will be needed for extension which should be made in the near future and is approved. It is recommended that only as much of it as required for the most pressing needs be expended this year.)
Article 6. To see if the town will authorize and direct the Board of Public Works to petition the legislature for authority to borrow \$200,000, outside the statutory limit of indebtedness, by bond issue or otherwise, for the following purposes: To construct and maintain a pipe line, in accordance with plans approved by the State Board of Health, for the purpose of disposing of the sewage of the Town of Andover, said pipe line to extend from Andover through the City of Lawrence to the Merrimack River, and to authorize the purchase or taking of land in said Andover and Lawrence necessary for said pipe line and to award and pay damages for said purchases or takings. On petition of the Board of Public Works.

(Not approved. Some improvement in the present methods of handling the sewage of the town is necessary and the approval of the State Department of Health must be obtained before any plan can be adopted. This is a problem of much importance and further information is needed on several points before any plan can be approved. It is expected that additional facts will be available before the town meeting so that it may be possible then to advise more definitely.)
Article 7. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of \$15,000.00 as its share of

the cost in the reconstruction of Main Street by the State, through Shawheen Village on petition of the Board of Public Works.
(Approved.)

Article 8. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of \$5,748.08 to pay the balance due on Haverhill Street Sewer on petition of Board of Public Works.
(Approved.)

Article 9. To hear the report of the committee on housing the inmates of the Town Farm and to see if the town will appropriate the sum of \$10,000, in addition to the \$30,000, on hand, received from the sale of the Town Farm property, for the purpose of erecting a new building and other necessary expenses. (Not approved.)

(The Finance committee recommends that the town shall provide proper housing facilities for the poor at a cost not to exceed \$30,000, and if possible an existing building be secured which can be adequately fitted to serve the needs of the town for an almshouse at a cost not to exceed \$20,000. These limitations are recommended because there is much uncertainty as to what the future needs may be. The tendency today is to take care of the poor, as far as possible in ways other than in the old-time type of almshouse. It is believed that reasonable provision can be made for the present needs, with opportunity for a small increase in numbers, within the expenditure recommended. One of the arguments advanced for selling the old property was that it would permit taking care of the unfortunate under simpler and more economical conditions. It is therefore undesirable to now re-establish a larger institution of this kind. If a new building is erected it should be so designed that moderate extensions could be made readily and at a reasonable cost, thus putting the town in a position to meet such future needs as might develop.)

Article 10. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3000) to purchase the property in Whittier Court adjacent to the Playstead, known as the Cunningham property, and consisting of approximately one (1) acre of land with the buildings thereon, on petition of Frederic S. Boutwell and other.
(Approved.)

Article 11. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen and the School Committee to sell as a joint committee, to select a suitable lot of land for municipal or town purposes in the district known as Shawheen Village. If land that may be selected cannot be acquired by purchase, to authorize the selectmen on behalf of the town to exercise the right of taking by eminent domain, awarding damages for land that may be taken, and making a report of their action at a special town meeting to be called not later than April 15, 1922, with a recommendation for an appropriation to cover the award and for such further action as may be necessary.
(This article does not require action on the part of the Finance committee.)

Article 12. To hear and act upon the report of the War Memorial committee.
(The recommendation of the War Memorial committee for further investigation under the condition of the original motion is approved.)

Article 13. To see if the town will for the purpose of providing a suitable headquarters for a post of the American Legion approve the leasing of a building or part of a building which shall be under the direction and control of such post subject to such regulations as the town may adopt, and to see if the town will appropriate for the current year, the sum of not more than \$1500 therefor, as provided for in G. L. Chapter 40, Section 9, on petition of the War Memorial committee. (Approved.)

Article 17. That the name of the Town of Andover and the year of its incorporation be engraved into the Pilgrim Memorial Monument at Provincetown and to appropriate a sum of One Hundred and Fifty dollars (\$150) for the same. (Approved.)

SUMMARY
Department appropriations recommended \$339420.00
Special appropriations recommended 28698.00
\$368318.00
State Tax (estimated) \$32000.00
County tax (estimated) 20000.00
52000.00
\$420318.00

RESOURCES
Cash \$5000.00
Corporation and Bank tax (estimated) 28000.00
State Aid 700.00
Outside relief 1200.00
Water rates 28000.00
Sundries 2000.00
From State for Schools 7500.00
Income Tax 20000.00
92400.00
\$327918.00

VALUATION
1920 1921 1922 (est.)
Personal \$2042541. \$2309395. \$2309395.
Real Est. 8044225 8638965. 9438975.
\$10086766. \$10948360. \$11748370.
Computation of tax rate using these figures.
\$ 327918 \$28.00
\$11748370

Respectfully submitted,
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Finance Committee.

Monster Goldfish.
In his notes in the Birmingham Post "Pelican" has recently dealt with an extraordinary fish caught by a Coventry angler, Mr. A. G. Kendrick. This fish is "a golden carp, weighing only two ounces short of 14 pounds, measuring 27½ inches in length, 21½ inches in girth, five inches in thickness, having scales two inches long and teeth (now extracted) over an inch in length." It was caught in a pool on the Waivey estate of the Coventry Co-operative society, and as its captor was fishing with an eight-ounce rod and six gut it gave a fight which lasted 45 minutes. That it was a golden carp and not an ordinary bronze specimen there seems no doubt—"simply a blaze of red and gold," is Mr. Kendrick's description of it. Certainly we have never come across such a fish or heard of one. The biggest goldfish we remember were in a pond in Kent years ago, some of which may have run to as much as three pounds, but not more.

—From the Field.

WHY SOUTH IS FORGING AHEAD

New England Rapidly Going to a Second Place in Cotton Goods Manufacture

Boston.—The following statement was issued by the public information bureau of the Cotton Textile Employers' Association:

Certain phases of the problems confronting the New England cotton manufacturing industry, which have been carefully considered by the managers in the North, may be of interest to the public at the present time, in view of the strikes which have been prevailing among the employees of numerous mills in Rhode Island, Massachusetts and New Hampshire.

In June, 1920, the wage rate in northern cotton mills was increased to the peak rate. For purposes of comparison the following figures, which are indicative of conditions in all departments of cotton manufacturing, are based on the rate paid at Fall River for weaving 47 1-2 yards of 8" 6x64, 7-yard print cloth. That peak price was \$4.619. This was an increase of 16 percent. over the wage rate, \$4.060, which had prevailed from December, 1919. The cut of 22 1-2 percent in 1921 carried the peak rate to \$4.610.

The peak price of print cloth of the same grade was reached April 1, 1920, the quotation being 16½ per cent. Jan. 1, 1921, the price was 6 1-4 per cent. a reduction of over 60 percent.

The peak price of brown sheetings was fixed about April 1, 1920, and amounted to 26 1-2 to 27c per yard. Jan. 1, 1921, this was reduced to 9 2-4c, about 64 percent. off.

The peak price of fine lawns on the same high level date was 40 cents per yard and on January 1, 1921, this had fallen to 16 1-2 cents, which was a cut of over 61 per cent.

The wage reduction of 22 1-2 percent in 1921, with the proposed cut of 20 percent at present, makes a total decrease from the peak of 1920 of only 38 percent, as against 60, 64 and 61 percent reductions in the prices of three grades of cotton goods mentioned, which grades were selected at random, the percentages being typical of the whole list in cottons.

Differences in Weekly Hours
A feature considered of great importance by northern mill managers is that in no state in the nation where cotton manufacturing has attained a degree of importance has the 48-hour weekly scale prevailed, except in New England and only in Massachusetts, of the well-defined cotton manufacturing states, is a 48-hour law relating to women and children in force.

Throughout the South weekly time limits run from 54 to 60 hours and in Canada from 55 to 60.

Careful investigation on the part of manufacturers has demonstrated that a lessened period of weekly work has decreased production in practically the same proportion as the time of labor is reduced. As a matter of fact, some mill officials assert that the proportion under shorter weekly periods is greater, because the practice has resulted in an increase of less-skilled workers among the rank and file.

It has been satisfactorily determined that decreasing the working periods inevitably leads to increased costs of production.

New Mills Mean High Quality
The increase in spindleage in the South during the past 20 years, which has been tremendous in comparison with the almost total lack of cotton mill development in the North, has meant much more than an enlarged production. It has resulted in the manufacture of a much higher grade of cotton goods. New mills have meant the construction of modern buildings, the installation of the latest types of machinery, the use of a thousand and one labor-saving, and rapid-operating devices, all of which have aided in making the same class of cotton goods for which the New England manufacturers had no rivals for many years.

The days when the South could be regarded as the centre of manufacture of coarse goods only have gone forever. At present the mills there produce a complete run of cottons, which is in very active and definite competition with practically all the northern plants, both in regard to quality and price.

A realizing sense of the seriousness of the situation was brought to several northern manufacturers last fall, when they found high grade cotton products of the South offered in the principal markets of the United States at prices which were less than the cost of manufacture in New England.

It is true, also, that mill managers below the Mason and Dixon's line are not confronted by an ever-increasing list of welfare movements, running from propositions of genuine benefit to the most visionary ideas on the possible regeneration of human nature, as in the case of numerous New England places. While many of these plans may be most acceptable in principle, not a few are intended chiefly for the future and all involve an increase in production costs—and it is on a reduction in production costs that the future prosperity of the cotton industry in New England must depend.

The memory of messenger dogs that served on the battlefields of Belgium and France is to be perpetuated in a monument to be erected in the canine cemetery at Hartdale, New York. The monument will consist of a war dog of bronze, in heroic size, with helmet and canteen. It will stand on a boulder overlooking a motor highway and a bronze tablet will bear a legend reminding posterity of the dog's part in the World War. The Hartdale Cemetery covers four acres and contains hundreds of headstones, vaults and monuments to mark the resting place of pets.

Purchase of seven tracts of land in Europe for permanent American cemeteries was recommended recently by Secretary Weeks.

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A Little Out of the Way

But It Pays to Walk

The Thanksgiving Cranberry.

Probably very little is generally known as to the origin of the cranberry. Originally it grew wild, as, in fact, it does today in several of the Canadian border states, in the salt marshes of the coast states, in the glades of the Alleghenies and as far south as Virginia and the Carolinas. The wild cranberry, however, is distinctly inferior to its cultivated relative. Both grow on a small, hardy shrub, about six inches in height. The fruit takes its name from the appearance of the flower, which, just before expanding into perfection, bears a marked resemblance to the neck, head and bill of a crane. Hence the name "crane-berry," which has become "cranberry." Thanksgiving and the cranberry are one and inseparable. During the year the cranberry market is steady, but in the month of November the demand is phenomenal, over half of the year's crop being disposed of within 30 days. Over a million bushels are marketed each year in the United States.

Why "Pot-Luck?"

When an invitation is issued to "come and take pot-luck" it is understood that no special preparation is made for the invited guest. There was a time, however, when "pot-luck" meant dishing the food out of a pot and when the guest really took chances of getting a good meal or a very slim one. In the old days—and the practice is still in force in some parts of Europe—nothing came amiss to the family cooking pot, suspended from the pot-hook in the middle of the fireplace. Everything edible was thrown in it, and "to keep the pot boiling" the fire was seldom or ever allowed to go out. When meal time came everyone fished in the pot for himself and whatever he happened to find was "pot-luck."

Translucent Apple Green Is Best Jade.

The best jade, according to Chinese connoisseurs, is the translucent apple green variety of even color and without arcs of murkiness. A short string of perfectly matched beads will retail for the unassuming little price of \$10,000 up. Though jade comes in the form of marble blocks sufficiently large to furnish raw material for several cemetery angels, a whole hillside may not supply enough of the flawless translucent variety for a pair of earrings.

Regarding Old Landmarks.

This stern age smiles indulgently at loves, follies, but it is quick to demand obedience to sane conduct and diligence to business. It's ready to enjoy the poetry of life, but insists that the poet meet the obligations of life as he writes. Timid souls cling to the parental hearth and decree by the old landmarks. We need these custodians of what has been. They help hold steady the restless youth who chafe under the restraint of the commonplace. They contribute to the world who strive to hold it true to the old landmarks. The calls of genius and inspiration uniformly disregard the old landmarks. In following the gleam of things to be they pass over the things that have been. In sober meditation they often tarry at the shrine of the past. When the spirit moves they pass over every bound in the wild dash for great attainment.—Grit.

Relics of Sir Walter Scott.

By the earnings of his pen Sir Walter Scott built his country home, Abbotsford, called "a romance in stone and line." It is a pleasure to linger in his study at that place. Here he wrote many of his books surrounded by a library of some 2,000 volumes. Here is the portrait of his pretty French wife, the crucifix held in the pale hands of Mary Queen of Scots until the ax fell, the keys that were found in the old moat at Lochleven castle and various other articles of interest. In a case in the great hall may be seen the black and white suit last worn by Sir Walter with the queer old bell-crowned tall hat. All around are memories of this man whose stories were clean, who never dipped his pen in the mud that depicts the lowest passions of humanity.—Chicago News.

Footprints.

"What's the matter with the Honorable Plubdub?"
"Says he wants to leave footprints on the sands of time."
"Better change his patter, then."
"Ruh!"
"Tell him to quit running around in circles."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Foolish Striving for Too Much.

It is well for one not to try to do too much each day. To do what one can with ease and to let the rest go without qualms or misgivings of any type will brighten many days in many lives.

LEAVES FOR FLORIDA

William M. Wood on Eve of His Departure for the South Receives Many Tributes from Employees and Friends

A remarkable tribute of loyalty and esteem was paid William M. Wood, president of the American Woolen company last week when the announcement that he was leaving on a vacation trip to Florida brought a flood of telegrams to Arden, his estate at Shawsheen Village. Mr. Wood has been confined to his home for some weeks, due to a severe case of grippe, and the news of his departure was taken by his friends and fellow workers as a sign of his recovery and hundreds took the opportunity to congratulate him on regaining his health and to wish him a happy sojourn in the South.

Telegrams were received from the following mills of the American Woolen Company: Washington, Wood, Ayer, Saranac, Arden, Beoli, Assabet, Bay State, Beaverbrook, Royalston, Puritan, Chase, Rochdale, Ray, Hecla, Shawsheen, Prospect, Rams Head, Wamsit, Dracut and Riverina of Massachusetts; National and Providence, Valley, Riverside, Monton, Anchor, Weymouth, Narragansett, all of Rhode Island; Arns, Waverly, Pioneer, Foxcroft, Sebasticook, Vassalboro, Anderson, Indian Spring, Kennebec, Ounegan, Forest, Hartland, Newport, Oakland, and Pittsfield, all of Maine; Fulton and Globe of New York state; Burlington and Champlain of Vermont; Sawyer, Baltic, Lebanon, and Musconeg, all of New Hampshire; and Whitestone, Moosup, and Norwich mills of Connecticut and Bradford Mills of Louisiana, Ky.

These telegrams originated with organizations of overseers, second hands and section hands and in some cases groups of employees who sent them through the mill agents. Mingled with their congratulations on his recovery the messages from his employees contained words of appreciation for Mr. Wood's recent announcement assuring all members of the American Woolen Company that their wages were not to be reduced.

The merchants, business men and civic societies of Lawrence joined in community, among them being the following: M. J. Sullivan of the M. J. Sullivan, Inc. furniture company; A. L. Cole of the A. L. Cole company; R. H. Sugart of Sugart & Company; C. L. E. Bemmink of the Boston Store; Andrew B. Sutherland, ex-Mayor J. J. Hurley, Thomas Menzie, chief of Clan MacPherson, O. S. C.; Mr. Reed of the Morehouse Bakery Co.; Lawrence Council, 67, Knights of Columbus; Dr. George B. Sargent, J. P. S. Mahoney, Rev. Fr. Mariano Milanesi, banker; Joseph De Caesare, banker; Dr. R. J. Searita, the Italian Ex-Service Men's Association, Attorney R. A. A. Camperone, Rev. Fr. James T. O'Reilly, of St. Mary's church; Mayor Daniel W. Mahoney, Rev. Fr. Driscoll, St. Lawrence church; Senator Frederick Butler, Representative David D. Daley, Charles D. Glennie, Miss Montelle, Rev. Fr. Duflos, of the Sacred Heart church; Rev. Clement Crawley of the Salem street P. M. church; President James H. Hanley, Michael David, Branch Irish National Foresters.

The following resolutions from the employees of the mills in this city, were also received by Mr. Wood, signed by representatives of all national groups and by every department in the Wood, Washington, Ayer and Prospect mills:

Lawrence, Mass.
Mr. William M. Wood, President,
American Woolen Company.

Dear Mr. Wood:
At a joint meeting held of representative employees and delegates from the various nationalities employed in your Lawrence mills, it was voted to express, in the form of a resolution, their feelings towards you, as follows:

Resolved: We, the employees of the American Woolen Company, in meeting assembled, wish to convey, sir, our deep appreciation for the manner in which you, on Feb. 7th, relieved a situation that was troubling not only your own employees but those of other industries, and the community of Lawrence, in general.

From your sick bed you sent a message to your employees and through them to the public, conveying the assurance that the American Woolen Company did not intend to reduce wages. We wish to let you know, sir, that this message, coming at such a time, has done more to steady the minds of the employees and to aid in becoming more faithful and loyal, than anything else that has been done for some many years. Your announcement spread like wildfire through the city of Lawrence, and through the mills, inspiring everybody with such a feeling that words cannot express.

We appreciate the greatness of your act more so because of the fact that it must have required physical effort on your part, and attended by some risk on account of your illness.

We send this resolution, testifying that we place ourselves in your hands with every confidence and assurance that whatever the future may have in store for all of us, you, and the great company you represent, will act fairly and squarely towards us, and we pledge our steadfast loyalty and co-operation to yourself, your local management, and to your company.

We also wish to express our most earnest wish that you will have a most enjoyable vacation, and return to us from the rest you are most deservedly entitled to, in excellent health.

As the representatives of all your Lawrence employees, we send you this resolution to convey, in this manner, our appreciation of the great act of service you have rendered.

REPRESENTATIVES OF NATIONAL GROUPS AND DEPARTMENTS OF LAWRENCE MILLS OF AMERICAN WOOLEN COMPANY.

Mr. Wood said that although he had all ways hoped his long association with his fellow workers in the company and fellow business men in Lawrence had gained him a measure of their friendship he was never so certain of it as upon seeing the visible evidences in their messages of good wishes.

Mr. Wood left Shawsheen Village, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock on a special train to Palm Beach, where he will spend the next month. George M. Wallace has accompanied him.

The school children of Shawsheen and a number of friends and well wishers gathered at the station to see him off. The children sang songs and waved goodbye until the train was out of sight.

An old apple tree, the oldest on the Pacific Coast, is located in Vancouver, Washington. When but a seedling it was brought to the mouth of the Columbia River by employees of the old Hudson Bay Company, 100 years ago next March. This patriarchal tree is still bearing delicious fruit.

PERSONALS

James R. Wray of Dumbarton street is ill at his home.

Mrs. Taylor of Poor street has recovered from a rather lengthy illness.

Mrs. Coolidge of Haverhill street has recovered from a recent illness.

Mrs. Fred Morrison of Sutherland street is ill at her home with influenza.

James W. Parry of Balmoral street visited relatives in West Lynn, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wood are on a combined business and pleasure trip to Europe.

William M. Wood, Jr., has been elected a director of the Old Colony Trust Company, Boston.

Ruth and Josephine Biddle of the Shawsheen Manor are taking part in the Andover Legion play.

Miss Anna MacNulty of Argyle street entertained the Glee Club Sewing Circle last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Brewer of Brooklyn, N. Y. are visiting their daughter, Mrs. R. N. Nelson of Stirling street.

Kenneth Wade of the Shawsheen Laundry is taking the part of "Bull Works" in the play "All Aboard" given by the Andover Post of the American Legion.

Ignatius MacNulty of Argyle street was chief speaker at the Union Community service in Ballardvale last Sunday evening and gave a very interesting talk.

Becomes Retail Sales Manager

Harry D. Neale of Argyle street has accepted a position as retail sales manager of the Treat Hardware corporation. He has lived here but a short time but during that time has made many friends.

Mr. Neale was born in Oswego county, N. Y. At 20 he was employed in a sporting goods establishment and in a short time became associated with Weed and company, one of the largest wholesale hardware concerns in the country with offices at Rochester and Buffalo, N. Y. When the war broke out he enlisted and did purchasing in the quartermaster's department at Washington, D. C. He takes an active interest in sports.

Soccer Goals

The State soccer association met Sunday in Boston and Thomas Gunter, Secretary of the American Woolen Soccer Association went before the state body to learn what action had been taken on his application for the return of two points taken from his team. These points were taken from the American Woolen Company team as it was charged that they had played two men who were ineligible. It was discovered that the State secretary had not forwarded his letter to the National secretary and gave as his reason, he thought the letter a little too strong. The state body directed the secretary to send Gunter's letter to the National Secretary.

If the American Woolen recover these two points they will be tied in number of points for the championship of the league but will really be in the lead because of their higher goal scores.

Pat Darcy, formerly president of the American Woolen Soccer Association also appeared before the state body at this meeting to discover the reason his application for a referee's berth was denied by the Referees' Association. No delegate was present from the Association so Secretary Archie Neilson was empowered to write the Referees' Association to find out the referee's reason why Darcy's name is not placed on the list. When this is done the state body will decide the dispute.

The American Woolen have signed up two new players, William Jones, who is working in the American Woolen Company storehouse at Lawrence and William Steele employed at the Wood Mill. Jones will play center forward and Steele half-back. It is believed that these two are valuable additions to the team.

Playing will be resumed as soon as the playing fields are in good condition.

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HOLIDAY PARTY

Over One Hundred Present at George Washington Dancing Party Held in Balmoral Hall Wednesday

A pretty George Washington Party was held Tuesday evening in Balmoral hall. The hall was attractively decorated in red, white and blue crepe paper and George Washington hats.

About 135 were present and a very enjoyable evening was passed in dancing to music furnished by Martin's orchestra which was at its best.

The committee in charge were: Mrs. George M. Wallace, Mrs. David E. Lawson, Mrs. Albert Moore, and Mrs. George H. Winslow.

The patronesses were: Mrs. Ernest Johnson, Mrs. F. H. Hardy, Mrs. T. Pinkham, Mrs. Walter M. Lamont and Mrs. Thomas Allen.

Mrs. Albert Moore, a member of the committee was unable to be present as she was taken ill with influenza.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. George H. Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Horner, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hull of Somerville; Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lamont, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Harig, Dr. and Mrs. William Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Bodwell, Mr. and Mrs. Reed Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Clayton of Lawrence; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Babb, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Billington, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ide, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hamblin, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Blades, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bartlett, James Mosher, Stuart Edgington, Miss Radcliffe, Miss Muriel Johnson, Mrs. R. Pinkham, Kenneth Hardy, Kenyon Holly, Virginia MacKnight, Walter Donald, Mrs. Horner, Maud Hollingshurst, Harold Barcroft, Medwin Matthews and Joseph Beaulieu.

Wedding

LaPlante-Shaw

Miss May J. Shaw, daughter of George W. Shaw of Corbett street, and Joseph W. LaPlante, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. LaPlante of 221 Andover street were married Tuesday morning at St. Patrick's church, Lawrence at 10 o'clock by Rev. Fr. James H. Courtney.

Miss Yvonne Brunette was the bridesmaid and John Wilman was best man. The bride wore a brown travelling suit and wore a corsage bouquet of white bridal roses. The bridesmaid wore a blue tricot suit with hat to match and wore a corsage bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums.

Mr. and Mrs. LaPlante were both employed at the Monocam Spinning Company. They left on a trip to New York.

Annual Dinner of Master's Club held at The Shawsheen Manor

The Master's Club of Lawrence held its annual mid-winter dinner at the Shawsheen Manor, Saturday evening. Bernard M. Sheridan, Superintendent of schools was the guest of the Association.

The annual business meeting was held followed by a social time which lasted until a late hour.

Twenty members were present and a great many were prevented from attending by illness.

Hike to Boxford

A number of young people from the Village went on a hike to Boxford Sunday. Leaving the Village at nine o'clock they reached Baldpate Inn at 4:30. At six o'clock they started home through Georgetown, Hilledale, Haverhill, Methuen and Lawrence, arriving home at 10:30.

The members of the party were: Genevieve Mura, Marion Kelleher, Anna and Agnes MacNulty, Dorothy Koffman and Mary Reilly.

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Shawsheen Bowling League

Below are the results in the Shawsheen Bowling League games rolled last Thursday evening on the Broadway alleys. The Treats took three points from the Independents and the Parks Cramer forfeited to the Electricians.

Mack of the Independents and Webster of the Treats were tied in the high single, both rolling 117 but Mack came first in the triple, rolling 318.

INDEPENDENTS
Parsons 85 75 77 237
Haviland 90 76 81 247
Morris 79 86 87 252
Deardon 90 90 78 258
Mack 117 93 108 318

Totals 461 420 431 1312

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Emmett 89 87 90 266
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Lord 81 89 104 274
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Totals 420 477 458 1355

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Shattuck 85 82 78 245
Merrick 87 82 90 259
Martin 88 91 84 263

Totals 423 418 418 1259

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Freezing Point Determined for Vegetables and Fruits

The freezing points of a large variety of vegetables and fruits, which are likely to be subjected to freezing conditions during harvesting, handling, or marketing, have been the object of special studies in the Bureau of Plant Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture. Between 15,000 and 20,000 determinations have been made, including the freezing points of 25 varieties of apples, 22 kinds of strawberries, 18 varieties of potatoes, 19 varieties of sweet potatoes, 19 tomato varieties, and many varieties of cherries, grapes, peaches, plums, blackberries, raspberries, cranberries, and some cut flowers, particularly peonies, roses, and lilies. Besides this general study, the work is being continued with the principal fruits and vegetables which are liable to be in danger of freezing either in transit or on the market. In this work the methods of detecting freezing injury, the rate at which fruits or vegetables freeze in constant low temperatures are determined.

The freezing points were determined for 18 standard varieties of Irish potatoes, grown under the same cultural conditions, harvested at the same time, and stored at the same temperatures. The freezing point apparently varies with the variety and shows a tendency to vary with the family group. It has been shown that potatoes can frequently be exposed to temperatures much below their freezing points if they are not disturbed until the temperature is again above the freezing point. This is an important consideration to potato growers and handlers.

Neglect opportunity, and opportunity will neglect you.

Income Tax Burdens, of Average Family Much Less Under New Law

With the arrival of the period for filing income tax returns, which must be filed on or before March 15th, every individual should present to himself the following questions regarding his affairs during the calendar year of 1921:

What were your profits from your business, trade, profession or vocation?

Did you receive any interest on bank deposits?

Have you any property from which you received rent?

Did you receive any income in the form of dividend or interest from stocks or bonds?

Did you receive any bonuses during the year?

Did you make any profit on the sale of stocks, bonds, or other property, real or personal?

Did you act as a broker in any transaction from which you received commissions?

Are you interested in any partnership or other firm from which you received any income?

Have you any income from royalties or patents?

Have you any minor children who are working?

Do you appropriate or have the right to appropriate, the earnings of such children?

If so, the amount must be included in the return of income.

Has your wife any income from any source whatsoever? If so, it must be included in your return or reported in a separate return of income.

Did you receive any directors' fees or trustees' fees in the course of the year?

Do you hold any office in a benefit society from which you receive income?

Under the new tax law enacted by the special session of the Republican Congress, the exemption for heads of families with incomes of less than \$5,000 a year has been increased from \$2,000 to \$2,500, and the exemption for dependents has been increased from \$200 to \$400 for each dependent. Tax rates remain unchanged.

How the Word "Gas" Originated

The word "gas" was originated by J. B. van Helmont in one of his writings posthumously published in 1684, in the course of his description of the gas now known as "carbon dioxide." He found that charcoal on burning yielded a "spirit" which he thought abounded in forests on account of its supposed unattractive nature. The word was suggested by the Greek *xos* (chaos) and, he writes, "I have called this spirit gas, it being scarcely distinguishable from the chaos of the ancients." The ancients' chaos meant the infinite, empty space which existed before all things, being filled with clouds and darkness, and entirely different from the chaos of modern usage, which denotes a state of disorder and confusion.

The general supposition that the word "gas" was suggested by the Dutch word (*geest*) is erroneous. Until the end of the eighteenth century, the word "air" qualified by certain adjectives was in common use for most of the gases known—a custom due in considerable measure to the important part which common air played in chemical and physical investigations.

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1921 Cleveland Coupe, list price, \$2,375.	Our price, \$1,850
1920 Buick Touring, 7 passenger	\$1,250
1920 Chevrolet Roadster	\$450
1920 Chevrolet Touring	\$450
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Jordan Coupe, perfect condition	\$1,650
1918 Ford Touring	\$250
1917 Dodge Roadster	\$400

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